

PROGRESS

1944

Best wish
Lemon "46"

Best of luck
to a sweet
Mike Halton "41"

good luck to a sweet
Rich and he good
over the summer.

Dear Norma
Kearia wishing you
a good luck
and have fun this summer
and good luck

Best of luck
Arnold Baehr
"47"

Happy vacation, Norma
and I expect to see
you next fall more
often in inter. class
Mrs. Bookman

Best of Luck
Lemon "46"

Swish you
Good luck in
the future and
don't forget the
hat spinning of which
you did in your
waist dance
"45"

Dear Norma
You are really
a sweet kid. Also
a big Wolf. Remember
that Dana. Ask you for
Warrior H. If you don't
Hazel Sheller

Good luck to a
Sewing Classmate
Lemon "46"

Norma Gardner
Rte. 4 Box 182
Fresno, California

Lots of luck a
A small girl
Agnes
"46"

Dr. Best of luck
to a small girl
Joanne "47"

Good luck to
a small person.
Joanne "47"

Best of luck to
a well quit
very good
new friend
"44"

Best of wishes
to a swell kid
but how likes
Kids? Ha Ha
Have a nice summer
vacation.

lots of luck
to a swell
southpaw.
Doug. 46.

Posie Goulart
"1946"

a classmate
Tom Thor
"46?"

Luck to
a swell
gal
Lore Jensen
"46"

Best of luck
to a swell girl.
Good luck in whatever
you may do.
I in Purple.

Jasper Matthews
"47"

Smooth sailing
Posie
"46"

Best Wishes
to a swell
girl. swell
Betty Olesen
"46"

Dear Nanna:
Remember the times
we had in sewing party
also the sewing party
it's been so much luck.
Helen
"44"

Good luck to
a swell girl

Well Nanna,
you are sure
are a swell
gal and
a good one
take it easy
next year.
All love
"46"

Good luck
to a swell
gal and
a good one
take it
easy this
summer
"46"

Good luck to
a swell girl
"44"

Good luck to
a swell girl
"44"

Good luck to
a swell girl
"47"

Good luck to
a swell girl
"46"

Dear Norma
 Wishes wishing you the Best of Luck all
 through your High School years and
 afterwards. Remember the night of
 the Sophomore party? I still don't
 believe (well maybe I do) what he said
 about fixing his car. Take it easy.

Your friend
 Barbara
 "46"

Howdy
 James "45" cause

Dear Norma
 Another year gone
 by and here we are
 Juniors. The best of luck
 to you Norma and may your
 future be promising.
 your pal
 Myriam
 "46"

Good Luck to
 a Future Junior
 Charles Church
 "47"

Best of Luck
 in the year
 to come
 Ida "47"

Cedergren

Good Luck
 to you Norma
 I enjoyed knowing you
 Mildred
 "47"

Wishing luck in
 the future
 the hope
 "45"

Dear Norma
 I am thinking of you
 and hope you are
 having a great time
 and good luck
 "45"

Dearest Norma
 Wishes wishing you
 the best of
 luck thru the
 rest of your school
 + always yours
 Mollie
 Blake
 "46"

Dear Norma
 Well here I
 am signing your
 book without anything
 to write so I will say
 what the rest did good
 luck in the future and don't
 forget good old 4-5 period
 especially our teacher.
 Betty Clark
 "46" hope

and a
 Betty Clark
 "46" hope

Dear Norma
 Remember the good
 times we had in
 Crafts and in
 grammar school
 Take it easy this
 summer. Good Luck
 Pick

ch-hat 2 in 1
 46

Dear Norma,

I want to wish you the best
of luck.

Ben Zudsen

"45"

Reserved for Monica

Well, here goes, I try to fill up this large
space. I wish you all the success in the
world. Remember the fun we had when
Jassie lived over by us. And the summers
we all picked grapes (or rather sat under
the vines and threw rocks at each other)
and don't forget the night Ben and Robert took
Betty, Norma, you + I to the show and then
after the show out to the Imperial (our old
Tampung ground) and remember that
Spook Midnight show we all went to -
and the time we all went to the Carnival
and when I won a pig throwing baseballs.

Oh yes, I could go on all night, but

you probably are tired already.

When you get tired of my picture, put
it in the garden. I guarantee it will keep all
insects, birds etc. away from your money tree

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to a
small
good
money
tree

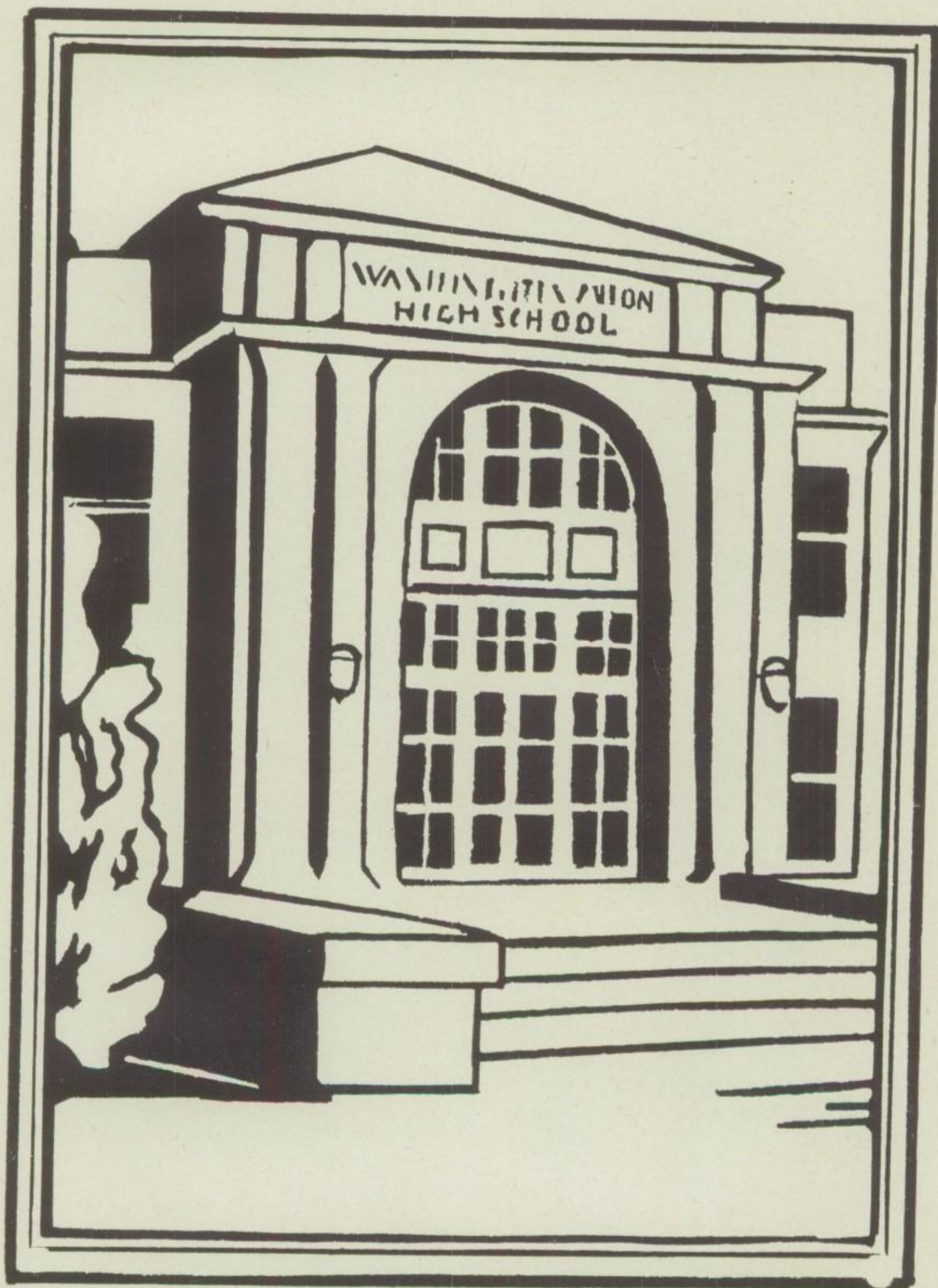
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A SALUTE

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Another was year has come and gone. Graduates, graduating Seniors, and even under-classmen have enlisted in the service of their country. Faculty men and one faculty woman have left school for this purpose. These the PROGRESS staff honors in this issue as the service theme is stressed.

To those who have enlisted, entering the service of their country has meant determination, courage, and sometimes self-sacrifice to fight for the American way of life. They have enlisted because they are Americans and believe in America.

School annuals are a part—a minor one, perhaps, but nevertheless a part—of the American way of life. The staff hopes that this book may serve to recall happy school days and ways.



IN APPRECIATION



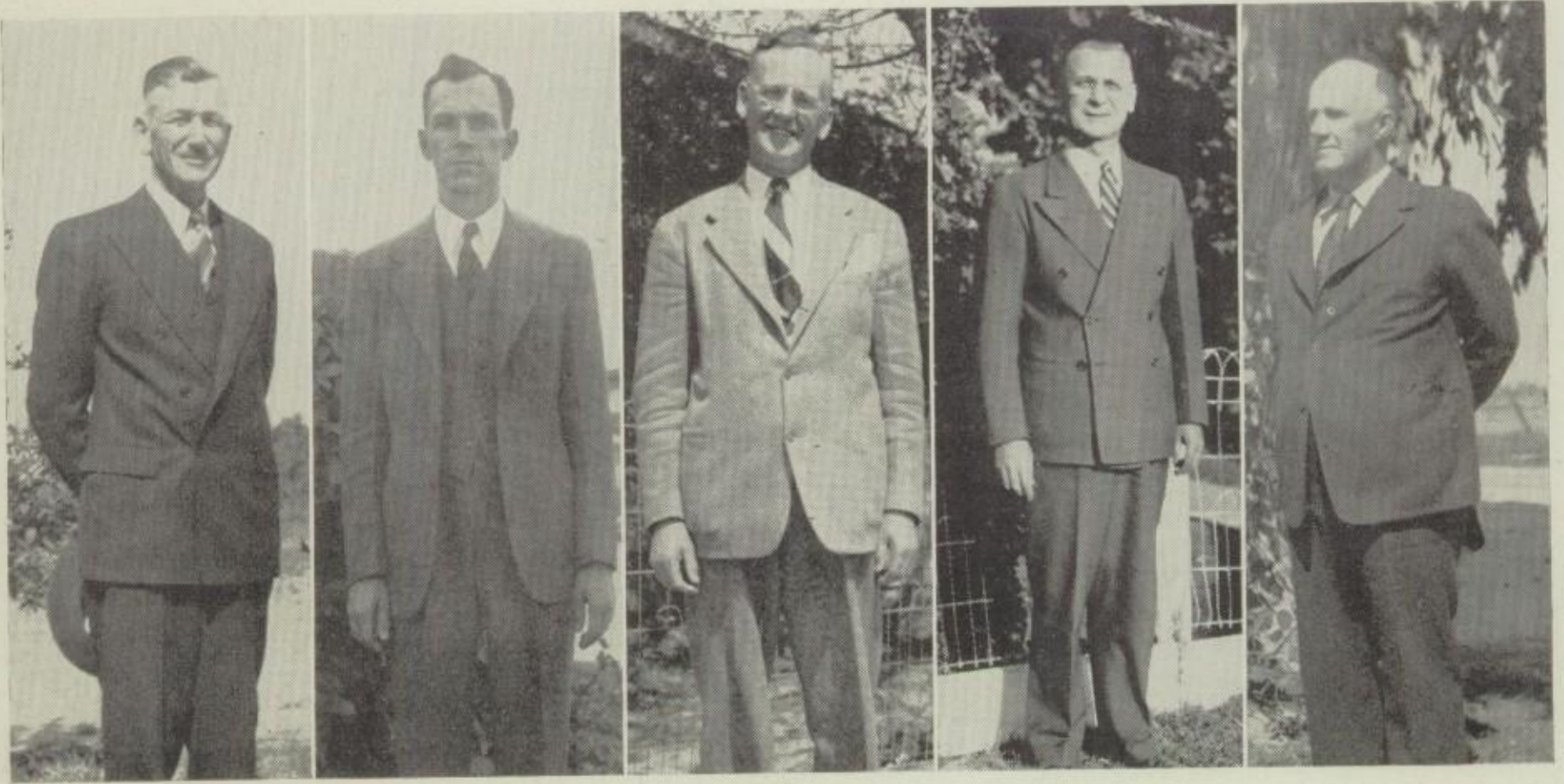
To Dr. Force, who has done a fine job of making this an inspiring and successful school year and who has been very helpful in connection with the PROGRESS, this book is dedicated.

TRUSTEES



Speaking of service to others there are the members of the Board of Trustees to be considered. They are the governing body of the school district, the ones legally responsible for the administration of the school. They have charge of the financial business of the district, hire the teachers, and approve the courses of study. They serve without pay.

First there is Mr. Oral L. Mitchell. He is serving this year as president of the Board. This is his second year as a trustee. He is a farmer.



ORAL L. MITCHELL, ECKHART A. THOMPSON, G. TOM REEVES, A. U. THOMSEN, J. A. MORAN.

G. Tom Reeves

The vice-president is Eckhart A. Thompson. He is a Fresno attorney. This is his first year on the Board.

Mr. G. Tom Reeves is the clerk of the Board. Mr. Reeves has been a trustee of the Oleander grammar school since June, 1942. He has also served as a trustee for Washington Union since March, 1943. He is division credit manager for the Shell Oil Company.

Mr. A. U. Thomsen is the fourth member of the Board. This is his fourth year as a trustee. He has a daughter who graduated from Washington two years ago. He also has a son, Richard, attending Washington Union now. Mr. Thomsen is treasurer of Bonner Packing Company.

Mr. J. A. Moran is the fifth member of the Board. He has a daughter, Althea, and a son, Charles, who are attending Washington this year. Two other sons have also graduated from this high school, and are now serving in the Navy. He is a new member on the Board this year.



PRINCIPAL'S PAGE



One vital reason for the greatness of this nation of ours rests in its system of free public schools and the great opportunities they provide. As you students grow older, you will realize this truth in ever-increasing intensity.

To you Seniors who are leaving us now, I urge you to insure by your thoughts and deeds that this great heritage, won and preserved by past generations, shall pass untarnished into the hands of your own children in the years to come. On this continual process does the hope of a free country remain.

To all of you I wish to say that the warm friendship and co-operation which you have given me this year has been and will always be a source of inspiration to me. To each one of you, the very best of good fortune.

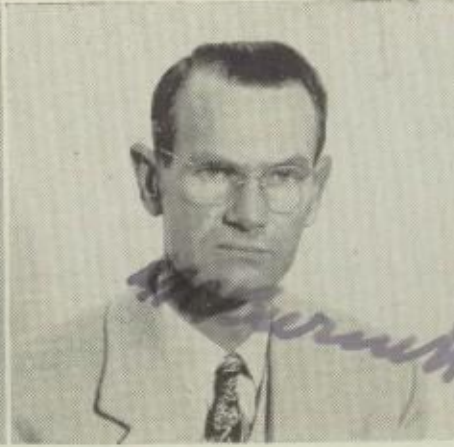
EDWIN T. FORCE



MARTHA J. BRUNER



LILLIAN BUCK



MITCHELL BURNETT



WANDA COCHRAN
OWENA CROW

FACULTY

It seems that even in war times our schools must continue their work and to do so, faculty members frequently stay with their profession even when defense work or the armed service beckons. Certainly education of young people to take their place in a democracy "worth fighting for" classes as essential.

Seven new members were added to the faculty the past year. Miss Bruner has taught German, mathematics, and general science. Miss Buck has been Freshman counselor and has taught Freshman and Sophomore English and girls' physical education. Miss Grace Davenport's time has been used in teaching future high school pupils as she has charge of the music in the grammar schools in the high school district. The new member of the commercial department is Miss Mildred Landers. Last year Mrs. Eleanor Mudge substituted several months here in the English department and the past year she has been a regular

member of the faculty, teaching art and one class in Freshman social science; she is also Senior counselor. Mr. Walton, on leave as principal of the Caruthers high school, has taught physics and chemistry, had charge of attendance records, and been vice principal. At the end of the first semester Mr. Ivan Olsen came to take the place of Mr. Glen Wilson who left to be attendance officer in the Salinas schools.

GRACE DAVENPORT
FLORENCE ENGLESON

LORENA G. DONSTED
KATHERINE ESKELSEN



H. WESTON HUNT

MILDRED LANDERS





EPHOYDIE LARSON



CARL MINOR



MARY MORISETTE



ELEANOR MUDGE
IVAN O. OLSEN

FACULTY

Mitchell Burnett, Siverdt M. Poulsen, and Harold Pence have again the past year had charge of the agriculture and shop program, a school department which increases in importance as the war goes on. Mrs. Lorena Donsted and Miss Ephoydie Larson in their clothing and foods classes have also contributed to war service. Mrs. Cochran's teaching girls' physical education helps make them fit for service.

One sometimes hears the comment, "What good is English?" Miss Crow, Mr. Hunt, and Miss Morisette, who teach this subject, feel that their subject is a "serviceable" one as English is the basis of our wartime communication. Miss Morisette has also coached dramatics and had charge of the stagecraft as well as being sponsor of the high school newspaper, the "Hatchet." Miss Crow is sponsor of the "Progress" and Mr. Hunt also teaches Spanish and Freshman social studies. Miss Larson is Junior counselor.

In addition to his duties as Sophomore counselor, Mr. Minor has taught band, orchestra, and chorus. Mrs. Engleson is one of the two commercial teachers who are adding to the efficiency of the boys and girls who later enter the service of their country. What could be more important to citizens and members of the armed forces than a knowledge of their country's history and ideals! These Miss Sinclair imparts in her social science and history classes. The science and mathematics program is rounded out by the classes taught by Mrs. Louise Pierce.

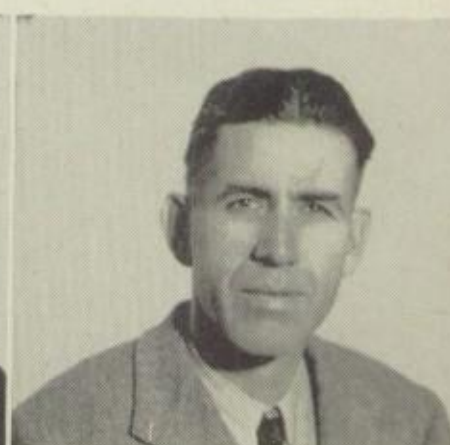
HAROLD PENCE
SIVERDT M. POULSEN

LOUISE R. PIERCE
MARGUERITE SINCLAIR



C. L. WALTON

GLENN WILSON



CLASSES

Dear Norma,

Don't forget all the periods we had together, especially sewing. More fun.

Take it easy with the soldiers out at the park. Remember that day I saw you and I had shorts on - boy did I look clumsy. Seems as though we didn't even go to school a whole year. I am just beginning to have fun at the end and before you know it school is out.

Well here's wishing a swell person some good luck! - and luck in everything you do but don't try to do too much.

A classmate,
Gene Sauerwald
"46"







G. GREBBELL, *President*



D. CEDERQUIST, *Vice-President*



D. TRIPPLE, *Secretary*

SENIORS



Each year the class of '44 has had the smallest enrollment of the four classes in school. Looking back to four years ago, we see that Jack Cole was elected Freshman president; Norman Hansen, vice-president; Alice Van Gammeren, secretary; and Beverly Petersen, treasurer. The class sponsors were Miss Clare Shafer, Harry Moradian, and George Farrier. The girls lost to the Sophomores in the annual Freshman-Sophomore initiation; the boys also were not victors and so "Scrubs" was the name given to the Freshmen. In athletics, however, the girls proved their ability by being winners in basketball, coming in second in soccer, and tying for second in baseball. Sixteen Freshmen were on the honor roll and the honorable mention list. Thirty had perfect attendance for the first semester.

The fall of '41 found most of the Freshmen back in school; only now they were Sophomores. In the first class meeting Norman Hansen was elected president; Lloyd Steinhauer, vice-president; Doris Bennett, secretary; Gwenda Grebbell, treasurer; Helen Kauffman and Oscar Fleming, yell leaders; and Eleanor Wirth and Kenneth Bixby, council representatives. Class sponsors were Miss Buss, Mr. Shuler, and Mr. Piacentini. In the Freshman-Sophomore initiation the Sophomore girls were again losers; however, the boys couldn't let it happen to them, and so the Freshmen boys were "mowed down." The girls were winners in interclass baseball, second in basketball, and second in soccer. The boys took the interclass championship in track. Sixteen made the honor roll. Five became scholarship society members. Betty Coleman, Oscar Fleming, and Gareth Grebbell were league debaters.

1942-43 was a big year. The class started by choosing their class officers. The students coming out on top were Bill Steele, president; Kenneth Bixby, vice-president; Christine Ereman, secretary; Thelma Theis, treasurer; Gwenda Grebbell, class editor; Helen Pacini and Marvin Amaro, council representatives; and Pauline Tologian, girls' athletic manager. The Juniors presented the play, "Miss Jimmy," under the direction of Mr. Watson. Student directors were Helen Kauffman and Marvin Amaro. The cast included Beverly Petersen, Alice Van Gammeren, Claire Poladian, Thelma Theis, Verna Lee Viau, Adena Wiseman, Norman Hansen, Ralph Kisling and Floyd

CLASS OF '44

Suglian. Junior dress up day was held early in the fall before gas and tire shortages became effective. To top off the day, the afternoon was spent in town. The Junior-Senior prom was held May 29 at the Hotel Californian. The boys placed first in interclass football and third in basketball. The girls came in first in basketball and third in hockey. The class sponsors were Miss Gillespie, Mr. Ainsworth, and Mrs. Engleson.

When the fall of '43 rolled around, there were just sixty-six Seniors enrolled. Some of the boys had been "caught by the draft;" others had joined the armed forces before they were drafted. The first thing the class did was to elect their leaders. Gareth Grebbell was elected president; Don Cederquist, vice-president; Dorothy Triple, secretary; Althea Moran, treasurer; Elaine Winters, yell leader; and Pauline Smith and Marvin Amaro, council representatives. Class sponsors have been Mrs. Mudge, Miss Crow, Mrs. Engleson, Miss Sinclair, and Mr. Walton. Instead of having Senior ditch-day later



A. MORAN, *Treasurer*

FACULTY SPONSORS. FRONT ROW: Mrs. Engleson, Mr. Walton. BACK ROW: Miss Sinclair, Mrs. Mudge, Miss Crow.

in the year, the Seniors staged it in the fall. Most of the class just journeyed as far as Fresno. Some attended a show and others went bowling. The Senior play was presented in December. "Daisies on the Car Tracks" was the name of the play. The cast included Jean Sullivan, Verna Lee Viau, Thelma Theis, Elaine Winters, Ralph Kisling, Marvin Amaro, Gareth Grebbell, Don Eischen, and Bill Steele. Miss Morsiette was the director; Norma Ede was the student assistant. For Victory Week each class elected a girl a candidate for Victory Queen. Helen Pacini was selected by class of '44. The girls again took the interclass championship in basketball and also proved their ability by winning in soccer and baseball. The boys had a hard time to even get enough for athletic teams due to the "manpower shortage." The Seniors in the C. S. F. for the first semester were Charles Moran, LeRoy Pedersen, Norman Hansen, Kenneth Bixby, Vartue Boghosian, Hasmig Yeramian. Second semester scholarship members were Kenneth Bixby, Josephine Frediani, Helen Pacini, and Alice Van Gammeren.

SENIORS



MARVIN AMARO

BLANCHE AVAKIAN

MARJORIE AYERS



KATHLEEN BARNES

LOUISE BAROOSHIAN

JOHNNIE BEDROSIAN



DORIS BENNETT

DORTHY BENNETT

JEAN BERG



KENNETH BIXBY

VARTUE BOGHOSIAN

TONY CASSANO



ALBERT CARTER

RUTH CARTER

MILDRED CAUDLE



DONALD CEDERQUIST

BETTY COLEMAN

NORMA EDE

CLASS OF '44

DONALD EISCHEN

CHRISTINE EREMAN

WILMA EREMAN



JOSEPHINE FREDIANI

MARY FREITAS

LEONA GANN



MIKE GEJEIAN

NADINE GOODENOUGH

RICHARD GREEN



GARETH GREBBELL

GWENDA GREBBELL

JOHN GUSTAFSON



STANLEY HAMMOND

NORMAN HANSEN

LAWRENCE HARTWIG



BETTY HYDER

HARVEY JENSEN

LOLA JOHNSON



Chris.

Leona

17

Bruck

Lola

SENIORS



HELEN KAUFFMAN

FLORENCE KAVARIAN

ROSE KAVARIAN



RUSSELL KISLING

ANNIE MAUL

ALTHEA MORAN



CHARLES MORAN

BETTY NIELSEN

HELEN PACINI



LE ROY PEDERSEN

HILDA PEREIRA

BEVERLY PETERSEN



WILFRED PIMENTEL

CLAIRE POLADIAN

FREDA RAVEN



PAULINE SMITH

BILL STEELE

LLOYD STEINHAUER

CLASS OF '44

DONNA JEAN SULLIVAN

THELMA THEIS

PAULINE TOLOGIAN



DOROTHY TRIPPLE

LAURA VAN ELSWYCK

ALICE VAN GAMMEREN



VERNA LEE VIAU

ELAINE WINTERS

ADENA WISEMAN



WITHOUT PICTURES

HELEN GROSS

ELMER KINLER

RALPH KISLING

HASMIG YERAMIAN



SENIOR ANNALS

MARVIN AMARO—Interclass track, 2, 3. Interschool football, 4; basketball, 2, 3, 4; baseball, 3, 4; track, 1, 2, 3; council member, 3, 4; student court judge, 4; Block W, 2, 3, 4; Camera Club, 1; class play, 4; dramatics class play, 4; chorus, 2, 3; Band Show, 2, 3, 4; operetta, 2; orchestra, 1.

BLANCHE AVAKIAN—Interclass volleyball, 1, 3; basketball, 3; softball, 3; AmaKi Club, 4; Band Show, 4.

MARJORIE AYERS—Elmhurst Junior High School, Oakland, 1; Fremont High School, 2, 3; Sports Crew, 2; coxswain, 2. G. A. A., 3; Band Show, 1; orchestra, 1.

KATHLEEN BARNES—Interclass basketball, 3; debating, 1; Band Club, 2; band, 1, 2; Band Show, 2; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3.

LOUISE BAROOSHIAN—First Aid Club, 2; Band Club, 3, 4; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 3, 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 4.

JOHNNIE BEDROSIAN—Band Club, 3, 4; Photography Club, 2; band, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 3, 4; council member, 4; commissioner of publicity, 4; Student Body yell leader, 2, 3, 4.

DORIS BENNETT—Interclass baseball, 1; class secretary, 2; HATCHET advertising solicitor, 3 and 4; HATCHET reporter, 3, 4; chorus, 3, 4.

DORTHY BENNETT—HATCHET reporter, 4; Mask Club, 4; Chorus, 2, 3, 4.

JEAN BERG—Band Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club, 1; Hatchet circulation manager, 3; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2, 3, 4.

KENNETH BIXBY—Interschool football, 2, 3, 4; basketball, 3; class vice-president, 3; council member, 2; student court associate justice, 4; Band Club, 1, 2; Photography Club president, 4; C. S. F., 2, 4, treasurer, 3; PROGRESS business manager, 3, 4; band, 1, 2, 4; Band Show, 1, 2, 4.

VARTUE BOGHOSIAN—Interclass baseball 2; Library Club, 2; C. S. F., 2, 3, 4.

ALBERT CARTER—Tulare High School, 1, 2; Oakland High School, 3; interclass baseball, 2; softball, 2; football, 1, 2, 3; interschool track, 3; Stamp Club, 2, 3; mixed glee club, 2, 3; chorus, 2, 3, 4.

RUTH CARTER—Tulare High School, 1, 2; Oakland High School, 3; interclass basketball, 1; band, 1, 2; chorus, 1.

TONY CASSANO—Interclass track, 2, 3. Interschool baseball, 4; HATCHET reporter and sports editor, 4.

MILDRED CAUDLE—Chorus, 4.

DONALD CEDERQUIST—Interclass softball, 2; track, 2, 3. Interschool track, 2, 3; football, 2, 3, 4; class vice-president, 4. Block W, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A., 1, 2, 3, 4; student court judge, 4.

BETTY COLEMAN—Gavel Club, 2, treasurer, 3; Mask Club, 4; debate, 2; HATCHET fourth page editor, 4.

NORMA EDE—Roosevelt High School, Fresno, G. A. A., 2. May Queen's attendant, 1; AmaKi Club, 4; HATCHET reporter, 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3.

DONALD EISCHEN—Interclass softball, 2; Mask Club, 1, 2; Band Club, 2, 4; Debate Club, 2; school play, 1; dramatics class play, 4; class play, 4; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; chorus, 2; Band Show, 1, 2, 4; operetta, 2; orchestra, 4; interclass debating, 1.

CHRISTINE EREMAN—Grants Pass, Oregon, High School, 1, 2; chorus, 1, 3; orchestra, 1; class secretary, 3; Mask Club secretary, 4; Girls' League yell leader, 3, 4.

WILMA EREMAN—Grants Pass, Oregon, High School, 1, 2; Etiquette Club, 1; Homemaking Club, 2; Mask Club, 4, president, 3; band, 1; chorus, 1, 3; Student Body assistant treasurer, 3; commissioner of finance, 4; Hatchet reporter, 4.

JOSEPHINE FREDIANI—Amaki Club, 4; Band Show, 3; C. S. F., 4; honor roll, 2, 3; perfect attendance, 2; Student Body vigilance committee member, 4.

MARY FREITAS—St. John's School, Fresno, 1; interclass volleyball, 1; glee club, 1; council member, 1; Our Lady's Sodality, 1; AmaKi club, 4; chorus, 3; interclass basketball, 3, 4; soccer, 4; Christmas pageant, 3.

LEONA GANN—Interclass soccer, 4; Mask Club, 4. MIKE GEJEIAN—Interschool football, 2, 3, 4; interclass football, 3; Block W, 2, 3, 4.

NADINE GOODENOUGH—Interclass basketball, 3, 4; soccer, 4; softball, 2; interschool tennis, 3, 4; class athletics manager, 2, 4; Tri Y, 1; secretary, 2; Pantherettes, 2; AmaKi Club, 4; Hatchet sports editor, 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3; yell leader, 2, 3.

GARETH GREBBELL—Interclass tennis, 2; football, 3; interschool football, 2; tennis, 2, 3, 4; class president, 4; Gavel Club treasurer, 2; vice-president, 3; Hatchet reporter, 3; class play, 4; dramatics class play, 4; orchestra, 1; debating, 2; Christmas pageant, 2.

GWENDA GREBBELL—Interclass basketball, 1, 3, 4; soccer, 4; softball, 2; tennis, 2; interschool tennis, 3, 4; class treasurer, 2; Progress class editor, 3; sports editor, 4; Pantherettes council representative, 2; G. A. A. treasurer, 3; president, 4; commissioner of girls' affairs, 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3, head, 4.

RICHARD GREEN—Interschool football, 4; tennis, 4; Radio Club, 1; Camera Club, 3; secretary, 4.

HELEN GROSS—May queen's attendant, 2; AmaKi Club, 4.

JOHN GUSTAFSON—Interclass volleyball, 2; F. F. A., 3; vice-president, 4.

STANLEY HAMMOND—F. F. A., 1, 2, 3; president, 4; Boys' Federation treasurer, 4.

NORMAN HANSEN—Interclass volleyball, 2; softball, 2; football, 3; track, 2, 3; interschool football, 2, 4; manager, 3; basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; baseball, 4; manager, 3; track, 3; class vice-president and council member, 1; president, 2; Band Club, 2; Block W, 3; president, 4; C. S. F., 3; class play, 3; band, 1, 2, 3; Band Show 2, 3, 4; Student Body vice-president and commissioner of social affairs, 4; vigilance committee member, 3, 4.

LAWRENCE HARTWIG—F. F. A., 1, 2; sergeant-at-arms, 3 and 4.

BETTY HYDER—Chorus, 4.

HARVEY JENSEN—Interclass volleyball, 2; softball, 2; football, 3; track, 2, 3; interschool football, 4; basketball, 1, 2, 3, 4; baseball, 3; track, 3; AmaKi Club, 4; band, 1, 4; chorus, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2, 3; operetta, 1, 2, 3.

SENIOR ANNALS

LOLA JOHNSON—Hatchet advertising solicitor and reporter, 4; Mask Club, 4; operetta, 2.

HELEN KAUFFMAN—Interclass volleyball, 1; basketball, 1; soccer, 4; tennis, 4; class yell leader, 1, 2; Mask Club, 2, 4; secretary, 3; Tri Y, 2, 3; Pep Club, 2; Pantherettes, 2; dramatics class play, 2, 4; Thespians, 3, 4; operetta, 1, 2; Christmas pageant, 2; Student Body yell leader, 2, 3; vigilance committee member, 2, 3; student court judge, 4; Progress staff, 3.

FLORENCE KAVARIAN—Fowler High School, 1, 2, 3; girls glee club, 1, 2; chorus, 1, 2, 3, 4; spring concert 3; interclass volleyball, 3; basketball, 3; baseball, 3; Dancing Club, 3; Mask Club, 4; Hatchet reporter, 4; Christmas pageant, 3, 4.

ROSE KAVARIAN—Fowler High School, 1, 2, 3; Dancing Club, 3; Mask Club, 4; girls glee club, 1, 2, 3; chorus, 1, 2, 3, 4; spring concert 3; Christmas pageant 3, 4.

RALPH KISLING—Mask Club, 2; F. F. A., 4; dramatics class play, 3; class play, 4.

RUSSELL KISLING—Interclass basketball, 2, 3, 4; baseball, 3, 4; softball, 2, 3; football, 2, 3, 4; interschool basketball 4; baseball, 3, 4; Block W, 4; Progress sports editor 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3.

ANNIE MAUL—Clovis High School, 1, 2; Betty Lamp Club, 1; Mask Club, 4; fashion show, 3, 4.

ALTHEA MORAN—Interclass basketball, 1, 3, 4; soccer, 4; softball, 2; class treasurer, 4; council member, 4; class editor, 2; Pantherettes, 2; Orchestra Club, 3, 4; Band Show, 4; orchestra, 1, 2, 3, 4; Progress assistant editor, 3; editor, 4; Girls' League secretary, 4; G. A. A. vice-president, 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3.

CHARLES MORAN—Interclass volleyball, softball and track, 2; interschool football, 2, 3; captain, 4; basketball, 3; captain, 4; tennis, 4; Band Club, 1; president, 3; council representative, 3; Block W, 2, 4; C. S. F., 3; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Show 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Body commissioner of official records 3; Student Body president, 4.

BETTY NIELSEN—Mask Club, 1; Photography Club secretary, 2; Band Club, 4; chorus, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 4; operetta, 2; orchestra, 4; Opportunity Night, 2; girls sextette 3; Christmas pageant, 2, 3, 4; May queen's attendant, 1.

HELEN PACINI—Class council member, 3, 4; class secretary, South San Francisco High School, 1; Mask Club, 4; C. S. F., 3, 4; Band Show, 2; Hatchet editor, 3, 4; class Victory Queen candidate, 4.

LE ROY PEDERSEN—Interclass volleyball, 2; softball, 2; football, 3; track, 2, 3; interschool football, 4; basketball, 4; baseball, 3, 4; class council member, 1; Block W, 4; C. S. F., 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Body commissioner of boys' affairs, 4; head of boys' vigilance committee, 4.

HILDA PEREIRA—Interclass soccer, 4; baseball, 2; AmaKi Club, 4; G. A. A., 2, 3, 4; May queen's attendant, 1; perfect attendance, 1, 2.

BEVERLY PETERSEN—Interschool tennis, 4; class treasurer, 1; Tri Y, 2, 3; Panther Knights, 2; Pep Club, 2; Mask Club, 3, 4; Hatchet staff, 4; school play, 3; night of one-act plays, 2.

WILFRED PIMENTEL—Radio Club, 1; Photography Club treasurer, 2 and 4; technician, Junior and Senior plays, 4.

CLAIRE POLADIAN—Progress class editor, 1; Mask Club, 4; class play, 3; chorus, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2, 4; Christmas pageant, 2, 3, 4; May queen's attendant 1.

FREDA RAVEN—Interclass basketball, 1, 4; soccer, 4; baseball, 2; AmaKi Club, 4; Pantherettes, 2; chorus, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2; operetta, 2; Christmas pageant, 2, 3.

PAULINE SMITH—Class council member, 4; Mask Club, 1; Band Club, 3, 4; Photography Club treasurer, 2; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2, 3, 4; operetta, 2; orchestra, 4.

BILL STEELE—Interclass football, 3; track, 2; interschool football, 3, 4; class president, 3; Band Club, 2; Block W, 4; band, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2, 4; Student Body commissioner of official records, 4.

DONNA JEAN SULLIVAN—Gavel Club secretary, 3; Mask Club, 4; class play, 4; chorus, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 3; Christmas pageant, 3, 4.

LLOYD STEINHAEUER—Interclass football, 4; class vice-president, 2; F. F. A., 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 1.

THELMA THEIS—Class treasurer, 3; Mask Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Club treasurer, 2; class plays, 3, 4; dramatics class play, 4; Hatchet reporter, 4; chorus, 4; operetta, 1, 2; Christmas pageant, 1, 2, 4.

PAULINE TOLOGIAN—Interclass basketball 1, 3, 4; soccer, 4; softball, 2; Shorthand Club, 2; AmaKi Club, 4; Girls' League treasurer, 4; G. A. A. secretary, 4; perfect attendance, 1, 2.

DOROTHY TRIPPLE—Clovis High School, 1, 2, 3; interclass basketball and baseball, 2, 3; class treasurer, 4; Mask Club, 4; school play, 3; dramatics class play, 4.

LAURA VAN ELSWYCK—Interclass speedball, 3; AmaKi Club, 4.

ALICE VAN GAMMEREN—Class secretary, 2, and council member, 4; Band Club, 2; Mask Club, 2, 3, 4; Thespians, 3, 4; Shorthand Club, 2; Pep Club, 2; Tri Y, 2, 3; C. S. F., 2, 4; Girls' League vice-president, 4; May queen's attendant, 1; posture contest winner, 4; band, 2; Band Show, 2, 3, 4; operetta, 2; girls sextette, 2, 3; Christmas pageant, 2, 3; class play, 3; dramatics class play, 4.

VERNA LEE VIAU—Fowler High School, 2; Girl Reserves, 2; Mask Club, 3, 4; class play, 4; dramatics class play, 3; Thespians, 3, 4; band, 1, 2; Band Show, 1, 2, 4; student director, 3; Christmas pageant, 3; Student Body vigilance committee member, 3, 4; girls sextette, 3.

ELAINE WINTERS—Sanger High School, 1, 2, 3; Miracle Book Club, 2; class yell leader, 4; Hatchet circulation manager and reporter, 4; Band Show, 3; interclass volleyball, basketball, 3; soccer, 4.

ADENA WISEMAN—Band Club, 1, 2; treasurer, 3; Mask Club, 1; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; chorus, 4; girls sextette, 3; Band Show, 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas pageant, 3, 4; Student Body finance committee member, 1; publicity committee member, 4; dramatics class play, 4.

HASMIG YERAMIAN—Band Club, 1, 2, 3, 4; C. S. F., 1, 2, 3, 4; band, 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Show, 2, 3, 4; Student Body vigilance committee member, 4.



JUNIORS CLASS OF '45

OFFICERS, FRONT ROW: A. Batrich, E. Robinson. BACK ROW:
R. Thomsen, B. Warden.

As the doors opened to the Junior class at Washington Union High School, we found that there were over seventy students present. This number was decreased by the outgoing students during the school term; some joined the services, some quit to work in essential war work and others moved to different schools.

From those students remaining at Washington, the class officers



FRONT ROW: A. Batrich, M. Aydelott, F. Flake, P. Birdsell, H. Boos, A. Boots, A. Barbo, E. Azlin. SECOND ROW: B. Bost, C. Fischer, K. Clark, B. Christensen, F. Alexander, B. Diel, L. Barra, N. Fries. BACK ROW: L. Defendis, B. Braden, B. Fike, N. Carter, H. Eischen, J. Blackwell, B. Doke, L. Dack, W. Beer.

were chosen. This was done in the first class meeting which was held in the latter part of October. The officers chosen to serve for the entire school year were: Richard Thomsen, president; Ben Warden, vice-president; Erma Robinson, secretary; Angie Batrich, treasurer; Ruth Caudle and Charles Prickett, council representatives; John Blackwell, yell leader; Violet Lantz, girls' athletic manager. Miss Larson, Mrs. Donsted, Miss Landers, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Poulsen have been the class sponsors.

SPONSORS, FRONT ROW: Miss Larson, Miss Landers. BACK ROW: Mrs. Donsted, Mr. Wilson.





FRONT ROW: V. Lantz, A. McLaughlin, L. Horg, M. Jackson, D. Girtz, E. Jensen, P. Ginder, D. McCarter. SECOND ROW: L. Jeffries, D. Kisling, M. Jones, S. Ireland, F. Huber, G. Hamilton, W. Huck. BACK ROW: D. Giffen, K. Lichti, J. Johansen, C. Lendrum, M. Linder, B. Madsen, M. Miller.

This Junior year has really been quite eventful. Junior dress-up day was a most exciting one. Everyone was decked out in unusual costumes. Most of the costumes were based on patriotic ideas. To make the day perfect, the Juniors were allowed to "ditch" in the afternoon. The class play was "What a Life."

The Juniors have done well in interclass sports. The girls came out first in volleyball and second place in basketball and soccer. There were quite a few who made the all-star teams also. The boys seem to have done well, placing first in football and baseball. They will give the other classes good competition in the other sports, too, as these were not all completed when the annual went to press.

The Juniors were hosts at the Junior-Senior Banquet which was held at the Commercial Club in Fresno, June 2. Class members purchased rings and have chosen blue sweaters.

With all these different things happening, everyone has enjoyed the Junior year of 1943-44.

FRONT ROW: L. Pardini, B. Pedersen, F. Spencer, N. Perkins, R. Wilson, B. Ridenour, E. Rommel. SECOND ROW: E. Sornigian, I. Pettitt, E. Robinson, T. Weber, B. Sorensen, A. Tovar, D. Mullis. BACK ROW: J. Negrete, R. Thomsen, B. Warden, H. Wallers, J. Pence, C. Prickett, J. Soghomonian.





SOPHOMORES

CLASS OF

'46

CLASS OFFICERS, FRONT ROW: L. Seibert, B. Ray. BACK ROW: M. Petersen, H. Donabedian.

The one hundred fourteen Freshmen who entered Washington Union in the fall of 1942 were subject to the usual bewilderment of the incoming "scrubs"; they also met the frequent fate of the first-year folks, losing to the Sophomores in the initiation events. Jimmie Peoples was chosen as president of the class; Charles Erickson, vice-president; Minnie Steyer, secretary; Merle Petersen, treasurer;



FRONT ROW: W. Carter, V. Arzoian, B. Deegan, B. Clark, I. Campbell, N. Chalukian, E. Cabral, B. Anderson. SECOND ROW: D. Blattner, R. Barnette, L. Burch, D. Badertscher, J. Farris, J. Bopp, M. Flake, D. Foster. BACK ROW: C. Erickson, B. DeGallery, H. Donabedian, F. Azevedo, A. Ashuckian, E. Foote, B. Blackwell.

Roberta Barnette and Richard Schmidt, council members; Vivian Arzoian and Claudine Netzley, yell leaders. Class sponsors were Miss Jurgensen, Miss Palmquist and Mr. Burnett. Nine Freshmen had scholastic records entitling them to membership in the California Scholastic Federation. Thirteen had perfect attendance records for the first semester.

FACULTY SPONSORS, FRONT ROW: Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Cochran, Miss Morisette. BACK ROW: Mr. Minor, Mr. Burnett.





FRONT ROW: L. Freitas, E. Karajiaan, M. Fleming, C. Netzley, E. McLain, N. Missakian, R. Kahler, H. Jefferson, F. Holloway, G. Lutz. SECOND ROW: I. Kozera, M. Johnson, I. Johnson, N. Gardner, H. Freitas, B. Olesen, E. Johnson, S. Grasmick, R. Goulart. BACK ROW: L. Guynes, F. Lima, M. Lima, R. Freitas, E. Nielsen, N. Gardner, C. Jensen, L. Misaakian, R. Kalibjian, J. Helt.

This year when the Sophomores entered school, they had a considerably brighter outlook on life. Gone was that Freshman feeling of bewilderment. First came the initiation of the Freshmen; this year the class of 1946 reversed the score and were victorious.

Early in the year they elected class officers: president, Merle Petersen; vice-president, Herbert Donabedian; secretary, LaVerne Seibert; treasurer, Betty Ray; council members, Dorothy Badertscher and Richard Hansen; yell leaders, Barbara Anderson and Charles Erickson. Tom Thor became class vice-president when Herbert Donabedian transferred to Fowler High School. Mrs. Cochran, Miss Morisette, Mrs. Pierce, Mr. Burnett and Mr. Minor have been faculty sponsors; Mr. Minor is Sophomore counselor.

Some of those who were C. S. F. members in their Freshman year retained membership in that organization. They are Dorothy Badertscher, Eileen Johnson, Ressie Kahler, Mary Ellen Petersen, LaVerne Seibert, Cecelia Steele and Minnie Steyer.

The boys enjoyed interclass sports and placed second in football, second in baseball, first in basketball, and tied with the Seniors in interclass track events completed by the time this account was written. The girls participated in interclass volleyball, basketball, soccer and softball.

FRONT ROW: C. Steele, B. Pedersen, M. Steffensen, A. Stockle, M. Steyer, B. Ray, D. Taylor, I. Sauermilch, E. Scharton, J. Spencer, A. Shamsioian. SECOND ROW: J. Spencer, R. Perkins, A. Rocha, B. Worstein, L. Seibert, G. West, M. E. Petersen, J. Dominguez, T. Aust, E. Vitali, R. Watson. BACK ROW: C. Smith, M. Taylor, H. Sanders, A. Garcia, B. Ewy, R. Schmidt, M. Petersen, R. Schwabenland, T. Thor, J. Peoples.





FRESHMEN

CLASS OF

'41

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CLASS OFFICERS: G. Bradley, A. Badertscher, J. Van Gundy.

In the fall of 1943, one hundred eight Freshmen enrolled in Washington Union High School. On their first day at school they were naturally confused. However, they finally became acquainted with each other and the members of the other classes and felt very much at home. Of course, one of the first items of official business as a class was to choose officers. For president they elected Glenn Bradley with Joe Van Gundy as vice-president. Audrey Badert-



FRONT ROW: G. Gardner, L. Dunigan, S. Carter, B. Barnette, A. Badertscher, N. Eyer, D. Dwyer, A. Baehr, R. Dahlgren.
SECOND ROW: S. Donabedian, R. Coleman, L. M. Garcia, L. Clack, M. A. Christensen, R. Birdsell, I. Cederquist, N. Birdsell, I. Diel. BACK ROW: D. Benzler, D. Barnes, L. Byrd, C. Church, B. Blacksill, G. Bradley, V. Eischen, S. Abbott, A. DeWitt.

scher was chosen secretary-treasurer. Virginia Van Gammeren and Virgil Eischen were selected as council members. As yell leaders the class chose the Goodenough twins, Betty Jane and Mary Jane, and Ray Coleman. Class sponsors are Miss Buck, Miss Bruner, Mr. Hunt and Mr. Pence.

Both the Freshman boys and the girls lost to the Sophomores in

FACULTY SPONSORS, FRONT ROW: Miss Buck, Mr. Hunt. BACK ROW: Mr. Pence, Miss Bruner.





FRONT ROW: B. J. Goodenoughh, M. J. Goodenough, D. Hearst, E. Hansen, M. J. Fite, B. Lantz, A. Lobbia, M. Jerden, R. Giffen, F. Hovnanian, A. Ginther. SECOND ROW: K. Ireland, M. Jefferson, L. Harmon, M. Jones, E. Jensen, M. Goulart, E. Nilmeier, J. Kime, J. Kahler, M. Hackney, S. Hartwig. BACK ROW: R. Lee, G. Hamm, R. Glasson, G. Linder, H. Jessen, A. Long, J. Jorgensen, M. Gulian, L. Jelmini, J. D. Lane, D. Ireland.

the annual initiation ceremonies. For their penalty the members of the Freshman class were required to enter the main building by the back entrance for an entire week.

In interclass sports the Freshmen were not fortunate but this can be laid to inexperience rather than to lack of enthusiasm. The boys won a softball game from the Seniors, though.

Socially, the big event of the year was the Freshman hayride, an event of late April. This was literally a combination of the old and the new as transportation consisted of hay wagons drawn by cars and tractors. And then there were delicious "eats" consisting of potato salad, baked wieners, ice cream bars and coca cola.

Four Freshmen became scholarship society members the second semester: Robert Dahlgren, Gladys Papazian, Joe Van Gundy and Joanne Watson. Two, Ruby Birdsell and Eileen Jensen, played in the school orchestra, and two, Josephine Potzernitz and Virginia Van Gammeren, were members of the school chorus.

FRONT ROW: B. J. Purtle, C. Zamarripa, J. Mendes, G. Papazian, D. Torrance, J. Potzernitz, V. Van Gammeren, F. Schlete-witz, M. Pereira, B. Miller, G. Robinson. SECOND ROW: D. Poole, L. Pardini, J. Watson, B. Wulf, B. Winter, M. Wilson, P. McCarthy, I. White, I. Sharum, B. Kellerhals. BACK ROW: R. Nielsen, N. Pestorich, R. Paul, A. Smith, R. Pettit, J. Matthews, J. Van Gundy, S. Reed, J. O'Connor, W. Sullivan, D. Pence, T. McBride.



ACTIVITIES

June 13, 1944

Dear Norma, in
Best of luck in
your junior and
senior year.

Remember our
sewing period - 4-5.
You can't see how
did it your sewing
in such a few days.

You sure did a swell job.
a friend always
Norma Mussakian
class of '46



Dear Mamma I'll be over your
 pen but that's all right with a
 that always comes over your name made with
 place and makes your old man's page because I hope
 pipe and makes your old man's page because I hope
 mamma I'm righting on this page because I hope
 to go to this place. I hope you have lucky your a
 kid & known oke.

A Pal
 Mike Lyle
 class of
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 I hope





CHARLES MORAN, *President*

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Even in high school there are those who work for the government. Here it is the leaders, the Student Body officers, who give their time, energy and experience in conducting the affairs of the institution.

The Student Government consists of a Commission, a Student Court, and the Council, all elected by the Student Body members.

Charles Moran has been Student Body president the past year with Norman Hansen as vice-president. The secretary has been Helen Pacini. The Commissioners are: of Boys' Affairs, LeRoy Pedersen; of Girls' Affairs, Gwenda Grebbell; of Official Records, Bill Steele; of Finance, Wilma Ereman; of Publicity, John Bedrosian. These Officers and Commissioners represent the executive department. Meetings are held each Thursday.

The Student Court tries the cases of students who have broken rules made by the Council. It is made up of a Chief Justice, an Associate Justice, and three judges. By this organization the judicial department of government is secured.

The Council is made up of members elected by their respective classes and clubs. It is the legislative department.

Miss Ephoydie Larson has been faculty adviser of Student Government the past year. The principal is ex officio an adviser of these organizations.



STUDENT COURT

FRONT ROW: G. Grebbell, A. Van Gammeren, H. Kauffman, Miss Larson. BACK ROW: D. Cederquist, K. Bixby, L. Pedersen, M. Amaro.

COMMISSION

FRONT ROW: G. Grebbell, W. Ereman, H. Pacini, Miss Larson, B. Steele. BACK ROW: J. Bedrosian, C. Moran, L. Pedersen, N. Hansen, Dr. Force.

COUNCIL

FRONT ROW: H. Pacini, W. Ereman, M. Aydelott, P. Smith, V. Van Gammeren, A. Moran, M. Steyer, H. Boos. SECOND ROW: S. Hartwig, Miss Larson, D. Badertscher, K. Lichti, A. Van Gammeren, G. Grebbell, B. Steele. THIRD ROW: J. Bedrosian, V. Eischen, D. Cederquist, L. Pedersen, N. Hansen, Dr. Force, C. Moran, M. Amaro.

CALIFORNIA SCHOLARSHIP FEDERATION

CHAPTER No. 153

Another organization which has kept its identity during these war years is the local chapter of the California Scholarship Federation—Chapter 153.

The first meeting of the year was for the purpose of electing new officers. Officers are elected every semester. Those chosen for the first semester were: president, LaVerne Seibert; vice-president, Betty Pedersen; secretary and treasurer, Ressie Kahler; and council representative, Minnie Steyer. A party during the first semester was the highlight of their activities. Members traveled to Fresno, and after dinner at Woo's Cafe, attended the White Theater where they enjoyed the comedy, "Junior Miss."

The beginning of the second semester added new members and also new officers were elected. Those who won out in the election were: Florence Alexander, president; Cecil Lendrum, vice-president and social chairman; Alice Van Gammeren, secretary; LaVerne Seibert, council representative; and Mary Ellen Petersen, treasurer.

To be eligible for C. S. F. membership, a pupil must have ten honor points at the end of the previous semester. A grade of A rates three points and B, one point. Those members who had a total of



FRONT ROW: J. Watson, L. Pardini, A. Lobbia, H. Pacini, M. Steyer, C. Steele, R. Kahler, B. Ridenour, A. Batrich, J. Frediani, J. Potzernitz. SECOND ROW: G. Papazian, H. Yeramian, M. E. Petersen, D. Badertscher, F. Alexander, L. Seibert, J. Bopp, A. Van Gammeren, H. Freitas, R. Dahlgren. THIRD ROW: E. Johnson, B. Pedersen, T. Weber, S. Ireland, C. Moran, L. Pedersen, N. Hansen, L. Dack. BACK ROW: Mr. Hunt, Miss Bruner, J. Pence, K. Bixby, R. Schmidt, C. Lendrum, K. Lichti, R. Freitas, R. Kalibjian, J. Van Gundy.

ten points at the end of the second semester last year and consequently became members for the first semester of 1943-4 were Florence Alexander, Angie Batrich, Dorothy Badertscher, Kenneth Bixby, Vartue Boghosian, Mildred Bopp, Betty Christensen, Louis Dack, Shirley Ireland, Eileen Johnson, Ressie Kahler, Ralph Kalibjian, Russell Kisling, Cecil Lendrum, Kenneth Lichti, Charles Moran, Lorraine Pardini, Betty Pedersen, LeRoy Pedersen, James Pence, Mary Ellen Petersen, Buena Jean Ridenour, LaVerne Seibert, Cecilia Steele, Minnie Steyer, Thelma Weber and Hasmig Yeramian.

Ten first semester members retained their membership during the second semester; they are Florence Alexander, Angie Batrich, Kenneth Bixby, Eileen Johnson, Ralph Kalibjian, Cecil Lendrum, Kenneth Lichti, Mary Ellen Petersen, Buena Jean Ridenour and LaVerne Seibert. New members added for the second semester are Robert Dahlgren, Josephine Frediani, Reuben Freitas, Angelina Lobbia, Helen Pacini, Gladys Papazian, Richard Schmidt, Alice Van Gammeren, Joe Van Gundy and Joanne Watson.



PROGRESS STAFF

FRONT ROW: A. Moran, K. Clark,
E. Robinson, G. Grebbell. BACK
ROW: K. Bixby, R. Kisling, R.
Thomsen .

PROGRESS BUSINESS MANAGERS

K. Bixby, R. Thomsen.

EDITOR

Althea Moran

PROGRESS

Even with materials so scarce, the Progress staff is doing its very best to put out an annual that the students will be proud of and long remember.

There are many jobs connected with putting out an annual. It takes much time and work. First, a theme is chosen and a dummy of the book is made. Pictures are taken and all the articles are written; these are checked and rechecked. The copy is sent to the printer and pictures to the engraver. Finally, after galley proofs and page proofs have been read, the book is printed.

The theme selected by the Progress staff for this annual has to do with the boys and girls in the service of their country. The Progress would like to express its appreciation to Mrs. Mudge and the students who have assisted her in the designing of the division pages and the cover; to Gerald Lysdahl for Band Show pictures, and to Elmer Smith for interclass sports pictures.

Editors on the Progress have been Althea Moran and Erma Robinson. Business managers have been Keneth Bixby and Richard Thomsen. Kathryn Clark and Wayne Beer were activities editors and Gwenda Grebbell and Russell Kisling, sports editors. The faculty adviser is Miss Crow.

HATCHET

The Hatchet has been rated an "A" by the grading committee of the San Joaquin Valley Scholastic Press Association and the Journalism Division of Fresno State College.

The three new features which have been added to the Hatchet are a mystery serial, a song poll, and the editor's column. The "Service Man's Mailbox" and "Boys in the Service" are being continued this year to help boys in the service to find new and old friends through the Hatchet. Boys previously from Washington Union High School receive a copy of the Hatchet if they are here in the United States. The Hatchet keeps the boys in touch with the many school activities. Alumni from overseas send letters to students at Washington Union. Some of these letters are published in the Hatchet.

Helen Pacini has been editor both semesters; associate editors were Claire Poladian for features, Nadine Goodenough for sports, and Betty Coleman for fourth page. Nadine Goodenough and Elaine Winters were circulation managers. In the first semester Eva Hamilton was advertising manager; as her assistant she had Lola Johnson, who became advertising manager second semester. Miss Mary Morisette has been faculty sponsor.

EDITORS

H. Pacini, C. Poladian

SPECIAL EDITORS

FRONT ROW: E. Winters, L. Johnson. BACK ROW: D. Bennett, T. Cassano, N. Goodenough.



REPORTERS

FRONT ROW: F. Kavarian, D. Bennett, W. Eremian, Miss Morisette, B. Petersen, T. Theis. BACK ROW: R. Kavarian, L. Gann, G. Grebbell, D. Bennett, N. Ede, H. Kauffman, F. Soghomonian.





BOYS' FEDERATION OFFICERS
FRONT ROW: D. Cederquist, K. Bixby, L. Pedersen. BACK ROW:
Mr. Olsen, S. Hammond.

BOYS' FEDERATION

The Washington Union High School Boys' Federation is under the sponsorship of Mr. Ivan Q. Olson, head of Washington's boys' physical education department. The Federation started the year by electing its officers. They were: president, LeRoy Pedersen; vice-president, Donald Cederquist; secretary, Kenneth Bixby; treasurer, Stanley Hammond.

The purpose of the Boys' Federation is to sponsor interclass sports, and to develop a better understanding of sports. One of the activities of the organization was to provide the service flag that is now hanging in the hall.

The interclass sports that have been completed or are now in progress are football, baseball, basketball, softball, tennis and track.

GIRLS' LEAGUE

All girls in the school belong to the Girls' League. The first meeting was called to order by the president, Gwenda Grebbell, in the latter part of October. The main purpose of the meeting was to nominate and elect the other officers for the year. Those elected were: vice-president and social chairman, Alice Van Gammeren; secretary, Althea Moran; treasurer, Pauline Tologian; and yell leaders, Christine Ereman and Vivian Arzoian.

Plans were soon under way for the Mother-Daughter Banquet for February 15, with a valentine theme. The girls had a candy, cookie and cake sale one week which proved to be very successful. On February 25 the girls enjoyed a talk by Yeoman Ann McCarthy, who spoke on the life in the WAVES. On April 11 a fashion show was held and the latest fashions were modeled. The day finally arrived when all the girls blossomed out in their new print dresses and also showed their teaching ability on the annual Print Day, April 12.

For one meeting the girls went to the boys' meeting and enjoyed a sports picture. Mrs. Cochran, the faculty advisor, has given much of her time in making the Girls' League meetings a success.



GIRLS' LEAGUE OFFICERS
FRONT ROW: A. Moran, G. Grebbell. SECOND ROW: P. Tologian,
A. Van Gammeren, Mrs. Cochran.



GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OFFICERS
FRONT ROW: G. Grebbell. SECOND ROW: N. Goodenough, M. J. Goodenough. THIRD ROW: P. Pedersen, A. Moran. BACK ROW: V. Lantz, Mrs. Cochran, P. Tologian.

G. A. A.

The Girls' Athletic Association is composed of all girls who have received athletic points in interclass games. For every sport a girl enters she earns a designated number of points which count toward various symbols in her Freshman year, a numeral her Sophomore year, a Block W her Junior year, and a star in her Senior year.

The girl who has earned the most points at the end of her Junior year is given an athletic sweater which is awarded to her in the first Student Body meeting of her Senior year. This girl becomes the G. A. A. president. The officers this year have been: president, Gwenda Grebbell; vice-president, Althea Moran, and secretary, Pauline Tologian. Each class elects a class manager for the year. Those elected were Mary Jane Goodenough, Freshman; Phyllis Pedersen, Sophomore; Violet Lantz, Junior, and Nadine Goodenough, Senior.

The sports the classes enjoy competing in are volleyball, basketball, soccer, and baseball. For each sport a captain is chosen by their respective teams. Tennis is the only interscholastic sport the girls are allowed to play. At the close of each sport the captains select an all-star team. Mrs. Cochran, the physical education instructor, spends most of her noon hours refereeing the various interclass games.

P. T. A.

With Mrs. Clyde Prickett as president, the local chapter of the Parent-Teacher Association has held regular meetings on the third Tuesday evening of each month throughout the school year. Other officers have been: first vice-president, Mrs. Roy Hartley; second vice-president, Carl Minor; recording secretary, Mrs. Harold Pence; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Carl Anderson; treasurer, Miss Ephoydie Larson; auditor, Mrs. Wilmer Cederquist; parliamentarian, Miss Owena Crow.

The name of the organization indicates its principal purpose—better co-operation between the home and the school, between the parents and the teachers. The theme for the past year has been "Allegiance to America through Service to Youth." Service to youth, staunch homes, good health, spiritual integrity, conservation and thrift, sound education, and maintaining the founders' ideals were topics of various meetings.

High School and grammar school pupils under the direction of Mr. Minor and Miss Davenport, respectively, have presented musical numbers. The December meeting was a potluck dinner for the members and their families.

At the April meeting Mrs. Carsten Schlundt was elected president for the coming year.

MRS. CLYDE PRICKETT, P.-T. A. PRESIDENT





BAND SHOW "ON THE BEAM"

TOP, Alice Van Gammeren, radio girl; W.U.H.S. Band, directed by Carl Minor; Betty Nielsen, soloist. CENTER, Bill Maybee, magician; Drum Majorettes; Old-fashioned Dancers; Announcers. BOTTOM, Jitterbugs; Cowgirls Orchestra.



ORCHESTRA, FRONT ROW: A. Moran, P. Ginder, B. Sorensen, C. Fischer, B. Clark, P. Birdsell, B. Miller, H. Jefferson, R. Birdsell. SECOND ROW: N. Missakian, E. Jensen, B. Ridenour, G. Hamilton, D. Eischen, F. Flake, P. Smith, B. Nielsen, E. Karajian, Mr. Minor, M. E. Petersen.

MUSIC

Keeping up morale is conceded to be a form of service. Entertainment keeps up morale; therefore, the music department can definitely be ranked among the service organizations at Washington Union High School.

With the decreased enrollment, all musical activities have been under the direction of Mr. Carl Minor, who has trained and conducted the band, orchestra, and chorus.

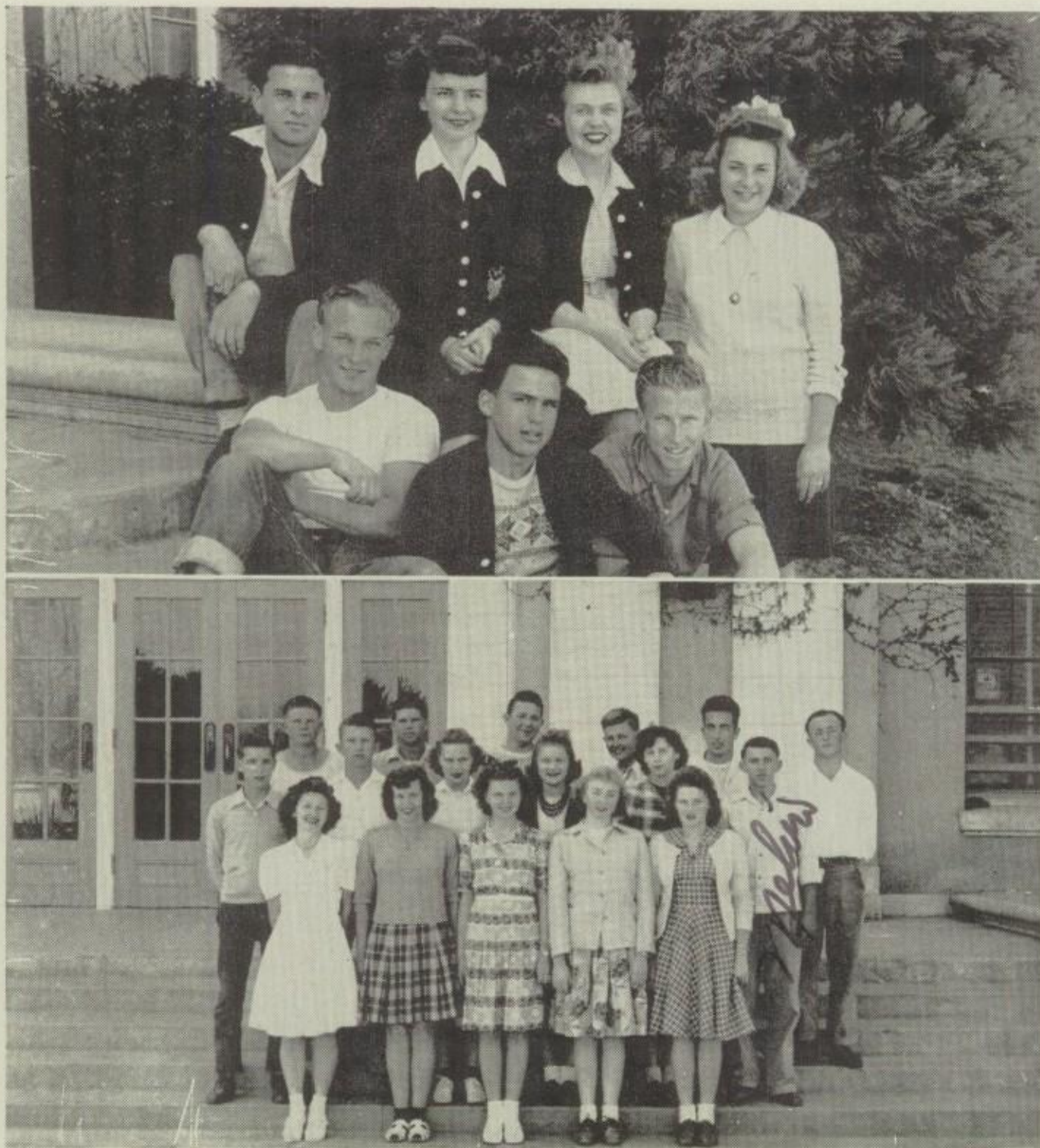
Of course the annual Band Show is the major project of the band, but this organization has appeared at rallies, games, and other school functions and added much enjoyment to these events.

The chorus has consisted of thirty-seven voices. Chorus members have studied the basic principles of voice production and have learned a representative group of songs. They appeared at the Christmas pageant and at the Senior church service. Small groups from the chorus have performed at such occasions as P.-T. A. meetings and the mother-daughter dinner.

The orchestra has furnished music for the plays and Senior church. They also co-operated with the grammar schools orchestras in presenting their annual concert.

CHORUS, FRONT ROW: C. Poladian, F. Kavaarian, T. Theis, F. Raven, P. Pedersen, A. Barbo, B. Anderson, A. Lobbia, A. Shamshoian. SECOND ROW: F. Flake, D. Kisling, D. Tripple, L. Seibert, M. Jones, F. Huber, I. Johnson, C. Netzley, J. Potzernitz. THIRD ROW: V. Van Gammeren, M. Christensen, H. Freitas, D. J. Sullivan, B. Hyder, M. Caudle, D. Bennett, D. Bennett. FOURTH ROW: E. Foote, A. Carter, R. Hansen, H. Jensen, Mr. Minor, J. Peoples, M. Petersen, A. Jones, F. Lima.





SENIOR PLAY CAST, FRONT ROW: B. Steele, M. Amaro, G. Grebbell. BACK ROW: D. Eischen, V. L. Viau, T. Theis, E. Winters.

JUNIOR PLAY CAST, FRONT ROW: L. Horg, N. Perkins, C. Fischer, D. Girtz, P. Birdsell. SECOND ROW: D. Giffen, J. O. A. Johansen, B. Christensen, B. Sorensen, T. Weber, M. Miller. BACK ROW: W. Alison, H. Eischen, J. Blackwell, B. Madsen, J. Soghomonian, W. Beer.

DRAMATICS

In spite of the war the dramatics department has given the school some very good entertainment.

The first play of the school term was "Daisies on the Car Tracks," presented by the Senior class on December 2 and 3. The play represented an average American family. The cast consisted of Marvin Amaro, Verna Lee Viau, Elaine Winters, Gareth Grebbell, Donald Eischen, Thelma Theis, Bill Steele, Ralph Kisling, and Donna Jean Sullivan.

The Junior play, "What a Life," with Ben Madsen as Henry Aldrich was a comedy filled with laughs, suspense and excitement, appearing on stage of Washington Union High School on February 10 and 11. The scenes take place in the office of a high school principal, Wayne

Beer. Others in the cast were Harley Eischen, Pauline Birdsell, Jack Soghomonian, Thelma Weber, Douglas Giffin, Bonnie Sorensen, Nadine Perkins, Lorraine Horg, Betty Christensen, Doris Girtz, and Wallace Alison.

The dramatics class presented as the last play of the year, "Best Foot Forward," a comedy with the scenes taking place in a boys' dormitory. The cast included Louis Dack, Ben Madsen, Gareth Grebbell, Bill Steele, Jack Soghomonian, Charles Moran, Elaine Winters, Alice Van Gammeren, Betty Coleman, Thelma Theis, Marvin Amaro, Wayne Beer, Verna Lee Viau, Don Eischen, Norman Hansen, Helen Kauffman, Dorothy Tripple, and Adena Wiseman.

All the plays were under the direction of Miss Mary Morisette.

MASK CLUB

Members of the Mask Club are, of course, interested in dramatics. There are 35 members, of whom three are boys. Officers of the Mask Club are: president, Wilma Ereman; secretary, Christine Ereman, and treasurer, Ben Madsen, who replaced Martha Jackson when she left school.

The Mask Club members are in charge of make-up, ushering and ticket-selling for all the plays that are put on during the school year.



FRONT ROW: C. Poladian, E. Karajian, M. Ayers, T. Theis, H. Pacini, L. Johnson, D. Bennett, F. Kavarian. SECOND ROW: W. Ereman, M. Steffensen, L. Gann, N. Missakian, R. Kahler, M. Steyer, H. Kauffman, Miss Morisette, A. Shamshoian. THIRD ROW: W. Kahler, I. Pettit, G. Vest, E. Johnson, I. Johnson, J. Farris, A. Van Gammeren, N. Fries. BACK ROW: B. Diel, D. Tripple, A. Maul, D. J. Sullivan, B. Petersen, B. Sorensen, V. Viau.

THESPIANS

V. Viau, H. Kauffman, A. Van Gammeren.

The Mask Club did their share in helping the Red Cross by making layettes. The club furnished the embroidery floss, ribbon, and material. The girls cut out the clothes and took them home to sew. The layettes consisted of nightgowns, sacques and gertrudes.

The Mask Club is the only club to receive membership pins this year. The pins are gold and have a dagger and mask, and are engraved with the initials M D, which stand for "Mask" and "Dramatics."

Three members of the club—Verne Lee Viau, Alice Van Gammeren, and Helen Kauffman—qualified for membership in the Thespians, a national dramatics honor society for high schools.



BAND CLUB, FRONT ROW: N. Chalukian, H. Yeramian, P. Smith, A. Wiseman, H. Boos, A. McLaughlin, C. Steele. SECOND ROW: G. Papazian, G. Hamilton, F. Flake, D. Badertscher, F. Alexander, B. Christensen, J. Berg, L. Barooshian. THIRD ROW: B. Blackwell, C. Smith, D. Mullis, R. Schwabenland, Mr. Minor, R. Schmidt, D. Eischen, L. Misakian, R. Dahlgren.

BAND CLUB

This year the Band Club and the band have had practically the same activities as all the Band Club members are also band members.

Officers were elected at the beginning of the year. Charles Erickson has been president with Drayton Mullis as vice-president. Goldie Mae Hamilton was secretary and Adena Wiseman, treasurer. Mr. Minor is the faculty sponsor.

Members of the club, as band members, took part in the Armistice Day parade at Selma. At half time during the Armistice Day football game they played and gave a demonstration of fancy marching. The band also performed for the home folks at football games at Easton. Much of the success of the Band Show is the result of the effort of Band Club members; their interest in the Band Show is the result of the fact that money taken in at the show is invested in War Bonds to be used in buying new uniforms for the band "when the lights come on again." This investment in bonds entitles the club's members to credit for service to their country as well as to their school.

Those who have been club members for three years receive pins; fourth year members receive guards for their pins. Those eligible for pins this year are Betty Christensen, Lloyd Jeffries, Florence Alexander, Louis Dack, Francis Flake, Arlene McLaughlin, Drayton Mullis, and Henrietta Boos. Those eligible for guards are Jean Berg, Kenneth Bixby, Charles Moran, Adena Wiseman, and Hasmig Yeramian.

The big social event of the year was a party given at Roeding Park for all of those who participated in the Band Show.

BLOCK "W"

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The Block W is a club whose membership is composed of boys who have earned letters playing in interschool sports. The sports in which letters were earned this year were football, basketball, baseball, and softball.

Norman Hansen was elected president and Ben Warden, vice-president. For treasurer the members elected Lloyd Jeffries. The secretary is Richard Thomsen.

During basketball season the Block W sponsored a game between the Panthers and the Rough Riders of Roosevelt High. The score was 28 to 30, with the Panthers claiming the victory.

Early in the year the Block W had a party.

For the first semester the club sponsor was Coach Wilson. Mr. Olsen, the new coach, became club sponsor for the second semester.

Five members of the Block W received athletic sweaters from the Student Body. The three boys who earn the most letters receive them or all boys with tied score for points. The boys who earned them this year were Marvin Amaro, Donald Cederquist, Harry Eskelsen, Charles Moran, and Norman Hansen.

BLOCK W, LEFT TO RIGHT: C. Moran, H. Eischen, M. Gejsian, L. Jeffries, B. Steele, J. Negrete, B. Warden, L. Peder-
sen, J. Johansen, D. Cederquist, N. Hansen, Mr. Olsen, M. Amaro, R. Thomsen, J. Blackwell, B. Schutz.



AMA KI CLUB

A new club formed this year received the name "AmaKi." This is a dancing club and the members are very enthusiastic. AmaKi is derived from a Greek word meaning "friendship."

The first meeting of the dancing club was called to order by the club sponsor, Mrs. Cochran.

The officers elected were: president, LaVerne Seibert; vice-president, Barbara Anderson; secretary, Agnes Stockle; treasurer, Elaine Winters; council representative, Monica Aydelott.

At the meeting on December 22, a Christmas party was held. Barbara Anderson, social chairman, was in charge. The dancing was



FRONT ROW: A. Garcia, H. Jensen, D. Ireland, R. Coleman, V. Eischen, G. Bradley, C. Church. SECOND ROW: B. Clark, M. Hackney, J. Potzernitz, G. Lutz, F. Hovnanian, F. Raven, D. Taylor, E. Scharton, J. Spencer, E. Rommel, A. Barbo, B. Anderson, A. Stockle, H. Jefferson, I. Campbell, B. Purtle. THIRD ROW: A. Boots, F. Schletewitz, A. Badertscher, E. Jensen, B. Wulf, J. Watson, E. Cabral, E. McLain, N. Perkins, P. Birdsell, K. Clark, D. Torrance, B. Barnette, L. Pardini, E. Hansen, D. Hurst, P. Ginder, E. Azlin, Mrs. Cochran. FOURTH ROW: E. Jensen, V. Van Gammeren, M. Christensen, B. Deegan, D. Blattner, M. Johnson, R. Barnette, J. Frediani, M. Aydelott, D. Foster, B. Winter, S. Grasmick, B. Pedersen, V. Lantz, L. Pardini, N. Eyer, B. Miller, R. Goulart. FIFTH ROW: N. Ede, M. Jones, D. Kisling, D. Girtz, E. Winters, P. Tologian, M. Freitas, L. Seibert, E. Robinson, F. Huber, N. Gardner, T. Weber, M. Goulart, I. Kozera, I. Cederquist, G. Robinson, R. Caudle. BACK ROW: H. Gross, L. Van Elswyk, H. Pereira, B. Avakian, S. Ireland, L. Burch, J. Bopp, H. Freitas, B. Ray, D. McCarter, L. Barra, V. Hartman, B. Bost, R. White, M. Jones, N. Birdsell, R. Birdsell.

made more interesting by having different kinds called off. Christmas presents were exchanged, and the refreshments were apple cider and doughnuts.

The club sold defense stamps for two weeks during the noon hours.

After the business meetings the remainder of the time was spent dancing. Some of the kinds of dances seen were the waltz, fox trot, and jitterbug. The music was furnished by Mrs. Cochran and Frances Flake. At one meeting a dancing contest was held. In the jitterbug contest, Betty Ray and Alice Boots were chosen as the best "hepcats." In the waltz contest, Helen and Mary Freitas were winners.

CAMERA CLUB

The Camera Club this year has a membership of eight. The purpose of this club is to create a greater interest in picture taking. The meetings are spent in developing and printing pictures and discussing the different techniques of picture taking, developing, printing, enlarging, and other items of mutual interest. Along with the experience and knowledge gained by the members, working together proved great fun.

Mr. Walton, the sponsor of the club, showed the members many pictures of the southwestern United States taken by professional photographers, including a movie.

During the year three members of the club purchased a large camera on which the different parts and functions of the camera can be seen more easily than in the small compact cameras that the members have. This camera was studied, and tried out, and has proved successful.

The officers elected at the beginning of the year are: president, Kenneth Bixby; vice-president, Louis Dack; secretary, Richard Green; treasurer, Wilfred Pimentel.



CAMERA CLUB, FRONT ROW: B. Blacksill, R. Freitas. SECOND ROW: Mr. Walton, K. Bixby, R. Green. BACK ROW: L. Dack, K. Lichti, J. Soghomonian, A. Ashuckian, W. Pimentel.

AIRPLANE CLUB, FRONT ROW: S. Reed, D. Barnes, Mr. Hunt, R. Kalibjian, B. Worstein. BACK ROW: I. Diel, C. Lendrum, E. Sornigian.

AIRPLANE CLUB

The Airplane Club is a new organization this year. In their meetings the members make model airplanes. These meetings are held once a month at the wood shop. Mr. Hunt is the faculty advisor.

In this club there were nine members. David Barnes was elected president. The secretary was Ralph Kalibjian and the treasurer, Mike Pestorich. Their council representative was Ivan Diel. The other four members were Thomas McBride, Bob Worstein, Edward Sornigian, Cecil Lendrum, and James Holt.

The members make rubber models, solid models, and gliders. They plan to make gas models when they have more experience and more time. A scrap book has been kept, illustrating airplanes of the world; under each picture is a write-up telling of each plane's characteristics such as type of plane, wingspan, rate of speed, type of engine, number of engines, and number and type of guns used. This scrap book helps the boys to become acquainted with all types of planes.



FRONT ROW: L. McBride, G. Hamm, S. Abbott, G. Roeder, A. Smith, W. Jensen, R. Nielsen, L. Selfridge, B. Braden. SECOND ROW: F. Lawrence, A. Nelson, T. Aust, L. Byrd, B. Ridenour, J. Dominguez, E. Vitali, W. Huck, D. Schmidt, E. Foote. THIRD ROW: Mr. Pence, A. Jones, B. Pfister, L. Defendis, H. Pfister, D. Cederquist, B. Schutz, J. Johansen, J. Kevorkian. FOURTH ROW: J. O'Connor, D. Ede, R. Hammond, D. Woodruff, N. Guidi, D. McCall, B. Warden, R. Hansen, R. Daniels. BACK ROW: G. Walters, M. Weber, H. Malicoat, W. Alison, M. B'sgaard, M. Johnson, L. Hartwig, S. Hammond, G. Linder, R. Green.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

Rendering service to the community is really the everyday purpose of this organization. So it is no wonder that in war times these service-conscious boys simply increase their activities and do more than usual for their community and their country.

The president of this organization has been Stanley Hammond; the vice-president, John Gustafson; secretary, Bill Maybee; treasurer, Walter Jensen; sergeant-at-arms, Lawrence Hartwig, and reporter, Morris Linder. Mr. Poulsen and Mr. Pence are faculty sponsors.

Some of their projects the past year have been Food for Victory, the bond auction, buying of two carloads of wheat, rodent control contest, baby chick project, milk testing, farm surveying, and the construction and repair of farm machinery. Some of the boys have been more than busy building rabbit hutches, building and repairing tractors, sleds, tractor spring-tooths, hay racks and many other useful articles.

The bond auction during Victory Week was an F. F. A. project and the highlight of the week. Nearly thirteen thousand dollars was the net proceeds from the sale of bonds and stamps. All goods auctioned were donated and a wide variety of articles was represented.



VICTORY WEEK

TOP: Victory Queen, Betty Ray; Queen's attendants, Helen Pacini, Alice Boots, Elizabeth Hansen. CENTER: Student Body President as a bond salesman; background for Bond Auction. BOTTOM: Bond Auction donators; Victory Queen and Student Body President as leaders of grand march at the Victory Ball.

SPORTS

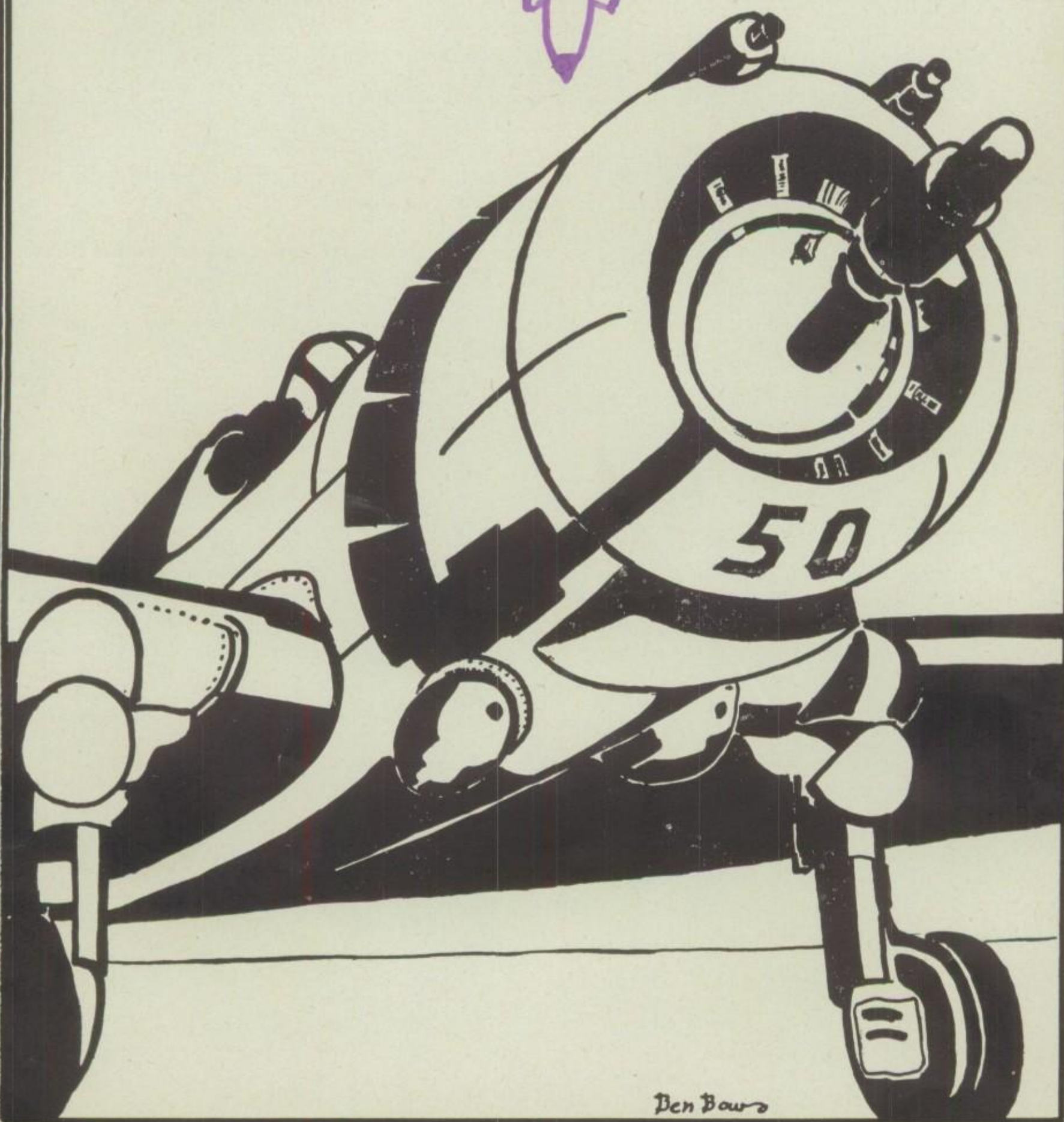
Dear Norma
I hope you all
the luck in the world
and hope you school
days never end. &
also hope you come
back to school next
year.

A friend
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FRONT ROW: J. Soghomonian, M. Taylor, B. Steele, N. Hansen, C. Erickson, E. Foote, L. Jeffries, L. Dack, H. Eischen, J. Johansen, H. Sanders. BACK ROW: J. Peoples, B. Warden, C. Moran, M. Amaro, L. Pedersen, K. Bixby, M. Gejeian, H. Donabedian, E. Nielsen, J. Blackwell, K. Lichti, W. Alison, R. Green.

FOOTBALL

The interest and enthusiasm of the football season certainly is not reflected by the fact that the W. U. H. S. Panthers won only one game in the Sequoia League series. Six other schools are in this league: Lemoore, Reedley, Sanger, Selma, Kingsburg, and Fowler.

The Panthers traveled to Sanger on October 22 to play their first game of the season. Because of Sanger's larger boys, the Panthers lost this game. The game ended with the Apaches leading 37-0.

The Vikings from Kingsburg came to Washington for the second game. The Easton players did their best to defend their goal but lost to the Vikings after a long hard struggle. Score, 13-0.

The Panthers lost their third game to the Fowler Redcats. At half-time the Redcats were leading by 13-0. The Panthers, doing their best to hold their opponents, after hard fighting lost to the Redcats, the final score being 27-0.

On Armistice Day, Selma won over the Panthers. The Bears won by a good margin of 20-0; this game between Washington and Selma was played at Selma.

The fighting Panthers didn't lose all the games, however, as Reedley came to Washington to their defeat. The first touchdown was made by an end run taken by Marvin Amaro with the conversion by Harry Eskelsen, Washington Panther. The second half was played with more passes. Jimmie Peoples made the last touchdown of the game by receiving a pass. Score, Washington, 13; Reedley, 0.

The Panthers played Central at Washington and lost with a final score of 12-0. This game was the last game of the season.

The managers of the football team were Richard Thomsen and Bob Schutz. The water boy was Sam Donabedian.

The fellows who earned letters are Marvin Amaro, Kenneth Bixby, John Blackwell, Donald Cederquist, Louis Dack, Herbert Donabedian, Harley Eischen, Charles Erickson, Harry Eskelsen, Mike Gejeian, Richard Green, Norman Hansen, Lloyd Jeffries, LeRoy Pedersen, Jimmie Peoples, Charles Prickett, Bill Steele, Ben Warden, and Charles Moran.

Mr. Glen Wilson was coach this football season. There was no "B" squad.

THE SQUAD

PLAYER	POSITION	EXPERIENCE
ALISON, WALLACE.....	Right tackle	One year
AMARO, MARVIN.....	Fullback	Two years
BIXBY, KENNETH.....	Fullback	One year
BLACKWELL, JOHN.....	Left guard	Two years
CEDERQUIST, DONALD.....	Halfback	Four years
DACK, LOUIS.....	Right guard	Two years
DONABEDIAN, HERBERT.....	Quarterback	One year
EISCHEN, HARLEY.....	Right halfback	Three years
ERICKSON, CHARLES.....	Right tackle	One year
ESKELSEN, HARRY.....	End	Two years
FOOTE, ERNEST.....	Right halfback	One year
GEJEIAN, MIKE.....	Guard	Three years
HANSEN, NORMAN.....	Guard	Three years
JEFFRIES, LLOYD.....	Center	Three years
JOHANSEN, J. O. A.....	Left tackle	One year
LICHTI, KENNETH.....	Quarterback	One year
MORAN, CHARLES.....	Quarterback	Three years
NIELSEN, EDWARD.....	Right tackle	One year
PEDERSEN, LEROY.....	End	One year
PEOPLES, JIMMIE.....	Quarterback	One year
PRICKETT, CHARLES.....	Tackle	Two years
SANDERS, HENRY.....	Left end	One year
STEELE, BILL.....	Quarterback	Two years
STEINHAUER, LLOYD.....	Center	One year
SOGHOMONIAN, JACK.....	End	One year
TAYLOR, MUMZEL.....	End	One year
WARDEN, BEN.....	Fullback	Three years

VARSITY BASKETBALL

Although there were three returning lettermen on the varsity basketball team, other schools in the Sequoia League—Sanger, Selma, Fowler, Reedley, Kingsburg, and Lemoore—proved too much for the Panthers and the scores of all games brought rejoicing to the other schools. The returning lettermen were Charles Moran, captain and guard; Marvin Amaro, forward, and Lloyd Jeffries, also a guard.

Washington's first opponent was Sanger. The game was played at Easton on January 21. Sanger won by a large margin; the Panthers had 24 points and the Apaches had 49.

On January 28, the Panthers went to Kingsburg to play the Vikings. Washington was defeated, 58 to 23.

The first night game was held at Reedley on February 4. The Panthers held the Pirates in the first half of the game but the Pirates came out on top with a winning score of 25 to 17.



SEATED: C. Moran. STANDING: Mr. Olsen, M. Amaro, R. Schwabenland, J. Peoples, H. Eischen, R. Kisling, R. Schmidt, L. Pedersen, B. Warden, H. Wallers, K. Bixby, L. Jeffries, J. Kevorkian.

Selma came to Washington on February 11 for their victory over the Panthers. Fowler, Washington's traditional rival, visited and defeated the Panthers next. The Redcats had 48 points and the Panthers had 18. This game was played on February 18.

The last game was played at Lemoore. Washington lost this game also. This was a night game with a final score of Lemoore 44, and Washington 18.

Mr. Glen Wilson was coach during the first semester. Mr. Ivan Olson succeeded Mr. Wilson in the second semester.

The managers were Henry Sanders and Jake Kevorkian.

Ten members of the varsity basketball team earned letters this year. Charles Moran received the captain's letter and played guard. Other guards who received letters are Ben Warden, Richard Schwabenland, Leroy Pedersen, and Lloyd Jeffries. The centers who received letters are Richard Schmidt, Russell Kisling, and Harold Walters. The forwards who received letters are Marvin Amaro, and Jimmie Peoples.

CLASS B BASKETBALL

As in the football season, so in the basketball season the scores did not reflect the interest in the series. The B basketball team won one game and lost five. There were two night games, both at the opposing schools.

Of the three returning lettermen, Bob Schutz was captain and played center on the team. Norman Hansen and John Negrete, both guards, were also returning lettermen.

The Washington B team won the very first game. This game, with Sanger here at Washington, was an exciting one with a close score, 16 to 14.

The following week, January 28, the next game was with Kingsburg at Kingsburg. The score was 29 to 21 in their favor.



SEATED: H. Sanders, Coach Wilson, J. Kevorkian. STANDING: C. Erickson, A. Tovar, J. Negrete, R. Thomsen, M. Petersen, A. Ashuckian, J. Johansen, B. Doke, H. Jensen, D. Giffen, N. Hansen.

The Washington basketball team traveled to Reedley next for their first night game. The Panthers lost to the Pirates.

On February 11, Selma came to Washington to win the game by a close margin. The final score was 23 to 20 in the Bears' favor.

The Fowler Redcats came to Washington on February 18, to win this game. The score was: Washington 13, Fowler 30.

The last game of the season, a night one played at Lemoore, was held on March 3. Lemoore almost doubled the score which was 35 to 18 in their favor.

Eight B players received letters this year. Bob Schutz, who receives a captain's letter, played center. Two other centers to receive letters are Alford Ashuckian, and Cecil Lendrum. Three forwards to receive letters are Harvey Jensen, Bill Doke, and Bill Maybee. The other lettermen played guard, J. O. A. Johansen, and Norman Hansen.

BASEBALL

For the second successive year the Washington Panthers baseball team won the championship of the Sequoia League. Five league games were played this year, all of which were won by the Panthers. Men who had returned from last year and new men who came out made up the championship team.

The first league game was held at Easton on April 21. The game was played by the Washington Panthers and the Reedley Pirates. At the end of the seventh inning the Panthers had eleven runs and the Pirates none.

The following Friday the Panthers traveled to Selma to defeat their rivals, the Fowler Redcats. These two schools always look forward to games played with each other. The score was 2-0 in the Panthers' favor, showing that this was a close game. The reason for playing Fowler at Selma is that Fowler does not have a standard outfield.

The Panthers were victorious over the Selma ball players on May 5, at Selma. This was the toughest and the most exciting game of the season. There were many hits during the game. First the Panthers took the lead; then Selma did. There were two home runs for the Panthers, made by Norman Hansen and Harley Eischen. The boys who made home runs for Selma on this day were Amaro and Livermore. In the eighth inning the Panthers came out on top with a score of 13-11. This game was the only eight-inning game played by the Panthers this year.

On May 12 Kingsburg came to Washington only to be defeated with a score of 12-2. This being their fourth victory, the Panthers had a good chance of winning the championship. To win their last game meant they would be champions. They did win this game with the Sanger Apaches on May 19 after seven innings of playing; the Panthers triumphed with a score of 6-0.

Thirteen boys earned letters in baseball this year: Lloyd Jeffries, catcher; Bob Schutz, pitcher; Bill Braden, first baseman and outfielder; Richard Schmidt, first baseman; Richard Schwabenland, catcher and right fielder; Tony Cassano, short stop; Russell Kisling, second baseman; Norman Hansen, center fielder and third baseman; Ben Warden, second baseman; Lance Guynes, short stop and third baseman; Jimmy PePoples, third baseman; Marvin Amaro, left fielder and center fielder; Harley Eischen, third baseman, pitcher, and outfielder.

Mr. Ivan O. Olsen was the coach who did much to lead the Panthers to the championship of the Sequoia League.

The managers of the squad were Richard Hansen, Bob Braden, and Jake Kevorkian.



FRONT ROW: B. Worstein, W. Alison, A. Garcia, M. Petersen, S. Reed. SECOND ROW: I. Diel, B. Blacksill, V. Eischen, G. Bradley. BACK ROW: A. Dewitt, C. Erickson, J. Johansen, J. Kevorkian.
FRONT ROW: B. Schutz, L. Jeffries, H. Eischen, R. Schwabenland, R. Schmidt. SECOND ROW: R. Kisling, N. Hansen, M. Amaro, J. Peoples. BACK ROW: T. Cassano, L. Pedersen, L. Guynes, H. Wallers.



TENNIS

FRONT ROW: G. Grebbell, R. Green, D. Poole, C. Moran, Mrs. Cochran. SECOND ROW: N. Goodenough, H. Kauffman, G. Grebbell, B. Pedersen, E. Robinson, B. Petersen.

TENNIS

Four practice meets and the county tournament have occupied the time of the tennis players; the girls have been especially happy to have so many events in the schedule as tennis is the only interschool sport in which they take part.

In the first practice meet, that with Central at Washington in December, Washington won three events and lost one. Betty Pedersen lost girls singles, Erma Robinson and Gareth won mixed doubles; Gareth Grebbell won boys singles; Nadine Goodenough and Gwenda Grebbell won girls doubles. Helen Kauffman and Beverly Petersen played as a boys doubles team against two Central boys and were defeated.

In April Central again came to Easton for a practice meet. In this the visitors won three events and Washington won two. Charles Moran lost boys singles; Beverly Petersen and Helen Kauffman lost girls doubles; Alford Ashuckian and Richard Green lost boys doubles. The winners were Nadine Goodenough in girls singles and Gareth and Gwenda Grebbell in mixed doubles.

When the Washington players met those from Roosevelt on the Roeding Park courts in May, Nadine Goodenough won girls singles; Betty Pedersen and Erma Robinson, girls doubles; and the Grebbells, mixed doubles. Roosevelt won boys singles from Alford Ashuckian; boys doubles from Richard Green and Joe Van Gundy.

In the third practice meet with Central, this one at Central, Washington won two events and lost three.

On May 27 the Easton players went to Reedley to play in the county league tournament. Six high schools competed. Washington won two matches while Kingsburg, Reedley, and Lemoore won one match each. Erma Robinson and Betty Pedersen won girls doubles from Reedley and then from Lemoore, scores for the latter being 6-1, 6-0. In the finals, these girls won girls doubles from Kingsburg, 6-3, 6-1. Gareth and Gwenda Grebbell won finals in mixed doubles from Fowler, 11-9 and 6-3. Charles Moran and Richard Green were the boys doubles team, Joe Van Gundy played boys' singles, and Nadine Goodenough competed in girls singles.

Mrs. Cochran did excellent coaching the past year.



BASEBALL WINNERS, FRONT ROW: L. Jeffries, A. Tovar, L. Dack, E. Sornigian, J. Negrete. BACK ROW: J. Blackwell, B. Braden, H. Wallers, C. Lendrum, K. Lichti, L. Defendis.



MINOR SPORTS WINNERS, FRONT ROW: M. Amaro, tennis; G. Grebbell, table tennis; R. Dahlgren, table tennis. BACK ROW: B. Worstein, badminton; D. Mullis, badminton; A. Rocha, handball; L. Misakian, handball.

BOYS' INTERCLASS SPORTS



For a large number of boys, those who cannot compete in league athletic events, the interclass sports schedule offers pleasant recreation and the opportunity to compete in various games. Mr. Olsen has had a well-planned, comprehensive schedule of such events including touch football, basketball, softball, baseball, tennis, table tennis, track, handball, and badminton. Members of winning teams are awarded interclass letters consisting of a purple block W surrounded by a purple circle on a white background.

The Juniors were the champions in touch football. The Seniors forfeited their game with the Juniors. The Freshmen won from the Sophomores, thus making a tie with the Juniors for the championship. In the play-off the Juniors were successful.

The class to receive interclass letters in basketball was the Sophomore. This tournament was played by Class A, B, and C teams. In Class A the Juniors won from the Seniors. All four classes had Class B teams and the Sophomores won most of the games. The Sophomores and Freshmen had

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Class C teams and again the Sophomores were the winners. The Sophomores, having won the most games in the series, were the victors.

The Juniors took their second championship in baseball. They defeated the Seniors and then won from the Sophomores who had in turn won their game with the Freshmen.

The softball and track tournaments were not completed at the time the Progress went to press but the Seniors and Sophomores were tied for first place in track and in the softball tournament the Freshmen and Juniors were tied.

Seniors placed first in the singles in tennis and table tennis as Marvin Amaro and Gareth Grebbell, respectively, won these events. Bob Worstein and Anthony Rocha, Sophomores, won singles in badminton and handball. Rocha and L Misakian won doubles in handball; Gareth Grebbell and Robert Dahlgren placed first in table tennis doubles; Worstein and Drayton Mullis were victors in badminton doubles.

FOOTBALL WINNERS, FRONT
ROW: L. Jeffries, A. Tovar, L. Dack,
E. Sornigian, J. Negrete, D. Doke.
BACK ROW: J. Blackwell, B. Braden,
H. Wallers, C. Lendrum, K. Lichti,
L. Defendis, H. Eischen.



BASKETBALL WINNERS, FRONT
ROW: F. Lima, B. Worstein, B. De-
Gallery, D. Schmidt, A. Rocha.
BACK ROW: R. Hansen, A. As-
huckian, M. Petersen, M. Taylor, L.
Guynes.





VOLLEYBALL WINNERS, FRONT ROW: A. Batrich, B. Pedersen, M. A. Aydelott, N. Perkins. BACK ROW: V. Lantz, E. Robinson, S. Ireland, P. Birdsell, B. J. Ridenour.



VOLLEYBALL ALL-STARS, FRONT ROW: B. Miller, F. Hovnanian. BACK ROW: A. Batrich, P. Tologian, G. Grebbell, D. Sullivan, M. Aydelott, A. Moran, B. Pedersen.

GIRLS' INTERCLASS SPORTS

When the Fresno County High School League made the ruling several years ago that tennis would be the only sport in which there would be interschool competition for the girls, there was much consternation among the athletes of the so-called "fair sex." What could the girls do that would be any fun? Where would the competition come in? Ingenious physical education instructors came to the rescue and a well-planned program of interclass sports took the place of the interschool competition. This year, under the direction of Mrs. Cochran and the Girls' Athletic Association, the girls have enjoyed four series of interclass games. Each class has a manager for all sports and captains have been elected for each sport. At the close of the year time was given for minor sports.

VOLLEYBALL: WINNER, JUNIORS

Seniors	28	Juniors	33
Seniors	28	Sophomores	31
Seniors	29	Freshmen	18
Juniors	33	Sophomores	26
Juniors	31	Freshmen	26
Sophomores	33	Freshmen	28

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BASEBALL: WINNER, SENIORS

Seniors	12	Juniors	0
Seniors	6	Sophomores	1
Seniors	6	Freshmen	4
Juniors	5	Sophomores	1
Juniors	13	Freshmen	14
Sophomores	3	Freshmen	11

BASKETBALL: WINNER, SENIORS

Seniors	26	Juniors	12
Seniors	32	Sophomores	18
Seniors	24	Freshmen	4
Juniors	20	Sophomores	7
Juniors	21	Freshmen	4
Sophomores	17	Freshmen	3

SOCCER, WINNER, SENIORS

Seniors	1	Juniors	0
Seniors	2	Sophomores	0
Seniors	4	Freshmen	0
Juniors	2	Freshmen	0
Juniors	2	Sophomores	0
Sophomores	4	Freshmen	0

BASEBALL WINNERS, KNEELING:
M. Freitas. STANDING: G. Grebbell,
E. Winters, H. Pereira, P. Tologian,
D. Sullivan, B. Avakian, A. Moran,
N. Goodenough, F. Raven, L. Gann.



BASEBALL ALL-STARS, FRONT
ROW: A. Batrich, N. Goodenough, F.
Hovnanian, M. J. Goodenough, B. J.
Goodenough. BACK ROW: H. Frgi-
tas, L. Seibert, B. Avakian, N. Per-
kins, M. Freitas, P. Tologian, G.
Grebbell, A. Moran.



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SOCCER WINNERS, KNEELING: G. Grebbell. STANDING: A. Moran, L. Gann, F. Winters, H. Pereira, P. Tologian, H. Kauffman, N. Goodenough.



SOCCER ALL-STARS. FRONT ROW: A. Moran, N. Goodenough. SECOND ROW: C. Steele, A. Stockle, A. Batrich, A. Shamshoian. BACK ROW: M. Aydelott, G. Grebbell, N. Perkins, P. McCarthy, P. Tologian.



BASKETBALL WINNERS, FRONT ROW: A. Morgan, N. Goodenough. BACK ROW: E. Winters, G. Grebbell, P. Tologian.



BASKETBALL ALL-STARS: H. Freitas, G. Grebbell, P. Tologian, A. Batrich, A. Moran.



YELL LEADER: J. Bedrosian.

GIRLS' SPORTS MANAGERS: M. J. Goodenough, Freshman; G. Grebbell, G. A. A. president; Mrs. Cochran; N. Goodenough, Senior; P. Pedersen, Sophomore.

LEAGUE BASKETBALL: B. Schutz and C. Moran, captains; J. Kevorkian, manager.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL, FRONT ROW: Charles Moran, captain; Mr. Wilson, coach. BACK ROW: R. Thomsen, manager; S. Donabedian, waterboy.

GIRLS' SPORTS CAPTAINS, FRONT ROW: C. Steele, M. Steffensen. BACK ROW: H. Freitas, N. Eyer, L. Seibert, M. Freitas, G. Grebbell, M. Aydelott, P. Tologian, B. Miller, B. Lantz, P. McCarthy

YELL LEADER: N. Perkins.

LEAGUE BASEBALL: L. Jeffries, captain; R. Hansen, J. Kevorkian, and B. Braden, managers.

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Dear Mom
Have a wonderful
week. Well, kind of
lot of love in
future years at W
Johnny J. J. J.
Class of 47

Quadrant

Dear Tom
 Boy
 you been it sure
 this year. Remember
 you are a Boy. Hope we will
 be together again next year.
 Your Pal,
 Betty Pedersen

Hi Mamma
 Have waiting you do but
 of luck where ever you go
 Robert D. and

Dear Mamma
 it has been swell
 knowing you. and
 I wish you lots of
 luck in your future
 years. Don't forget
 the party. I am
 a friend
 Thomas
 46

Good luck
 to a friend
 Lee M. Bond

Good luck
 to a sophomore
 Melvin Miller
 '45'

Good luck in
 your future years
 Keith Ireland
 '47'

Good luck in your future years.
 I hope you will be a
 success in everything you
 do. I am your friend.
 Melvin Miller
 '45'

Dear Norma
Just a little to
to remind you of the
day we ditched some
Daf 45"

lots of luck
to a swell
Long John
45"

Best Wishes
to a swell girl
"46" a friend
Bel Garcia

Dear Norma
Best wishes
Remember and Craft
Minnie
46

Best of luck to
a swell kid and
a happy future
Ed 45"
Son Juan

Best wishes
to a swell girl
"46" a friend
Bel Garcia

Dear Norma:

Well I'll have to do a lot of writing to fill up this place. First I'll start out with the summer we cut apricots. Boy what a swell old time we had. Remember when we got the giggles all the time, when we would laugh at Vaughan when he played the piano. Remember when we left and we got the giggles in that little house when that man was fixing the roof. Remember that day that came that kept looking at Emma. Don't forget the day we ditched. The kids that followed us to Rodeo park. Then we went & ate. Then we went & got some music. Boy that guy sure could play the piano. Wasn't he looking at her. Oh yes & the man who played the record — he was the same one. Then we saw a good show. — Ginny Simon. You & Betty sure got to laughing. We ate candy. You guys kept making noise with your papers. Well here's wishing you the best of luck. Be good. Have a swell vacation. Hope to see a lot more of you. Yours truly Friend.

Lots of luck to a
swell girl
Bill Maybe
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Dear Norma, it's been
well knowing you. I hope
in well high school. I did. Good
you enjoy your Jr. year
much as I did. Good
kid. Remember in 3rd grade
a school friend
Pauline. 45"

Remember all the swell
 times we had in high school.
 Remember between 2 and 3 period.
 Well I can't think of anything
 else except good luck. Remember
 a dumb senior. Helen
 2/4

How ya doin
How ya are
Spoodles. You got take
leaved you got take
that my rept year.
I leave rept year.
Love's Dads
Vib

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